#### 2–1.

If  $\theta = 60^{\circ}$  and F = 450 N, determine the magnitude of the resultant force and its direction, measured counterclockwise from the positive *x* axis.

## SOLUTION

The parallelogram law of addition and the triangular rule are shown in Figs. *a* and *b*, respectively.

Applying the law of consines to Fig. b,

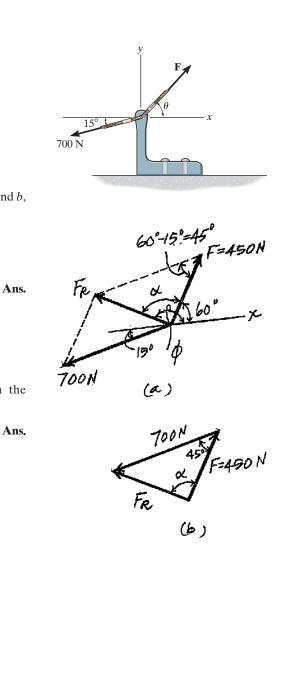
$$F_R = \sqrt{700^2 + 450^2 - 2(700)(450)\cos 45^\circ}$$
  
= 497.01 N = 497 N

This yields

$$\frac{\sin\alpha}{700} = \frac{\sin 45^{\circ}}{497.01} \quad \alpha = 95.19^{\circ}$$

Thus, the direction of angle  $\phi$  of  $\mathbf{F}_R$  measured counterclockwise from the positive x axis, is

$$\phi = \alpha + 60^{\circ} = 95.19^{\circ} + 60^{\circ} = 155^{\circ}$$



Ans:  

$$F_R = 497 \text{ N}$$
  
 $\phi = 155^{\circ}$ 

#### 2–2.

If the magnitude of the resultant force is to be 500 N, directed along the positive y axis, determine the magnitude of force **F** and its direction  $\theta$ .

# SOLUTION

The parallelogram law of addition and the triangular rule are shown in Figs. a and b, respectively.

Applying the law of cosines to Fig. b,

$$F = \sqrt{500^2 + 700^2 - 2(500)(700) \cos 105^\circ}$$
  
= 959.78 N = 960 N

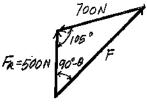
Applying the law of sines to Fig. b, and using this result, yields

$$\frac{\sin (90^\circ + \theta)}{700} = \frac{\sin 105^\circ}{959.78}$$
$$\theta = 45.2^\circ$$

 $F_{R} = 500N$   $F_{R} = 500N$ 



Ans.



(a)



**Ans:** F = 960 N $\theta = 45.2^{\circ}$ 

#### 2–3.

Determine the magnitude of the resultant force  $\mathbf{F}_{R} = \mathbf{F}_{1} + \mathbf{F}_{2}$  and its direction, measured counterclockwise from the positive *x* axis.

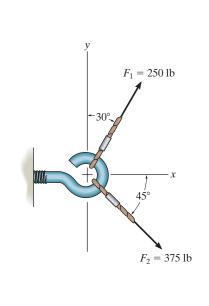
# SOLUTION

$$F_R = \sqrt{(250)^2 + (375)^2 - 2(250)(375)} \cos 75^\circ = 393.2 = 393 \text{ lb}$$
Ans.  

$$\frac{393.2}{\sin 75^\circ} = \frac{250}{\sin \theta}$$
  

$$\theta = 37.89^\circ$$
  

$$\phi = 360^\circ - 45^\circ + 37.89^\circ = 353^\circ$$
Ans.





Ans:
$F_R = 393  \text{lb}$
$\phi = 353^{\circ}$

Ans.

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#### \*2–4.

Determine the magnitudes of the two components of **F** directed along members AB and AC. Set F = 500 N.

# SOLUTION

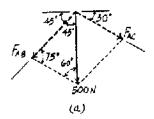
*Parallelogram Law:* The parallelogram law of addition is shown in Fig. *a*.

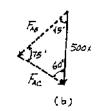
Trigonometry: Using the law of sines (Fig. b), we have

$$\frac{F_{AB}}{\sin 60^{\circ}} = \frac{500}{\sin 75^{\circ}}$$
$$F_{AB} = 448 \text{ N}$$
$$\frac{F_{AC}}{\sin 45^{\circ}} = \frac{500}{\sin 75^{\circ}}$$

$$F_{AC} = 366 \text{ N}$$

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Ans:		
$F_{AB}$	=	448 N
$F_{AC}$	=	366 N

#### 2–5.

Solve Prob. 2–4 with F = 350 lb.

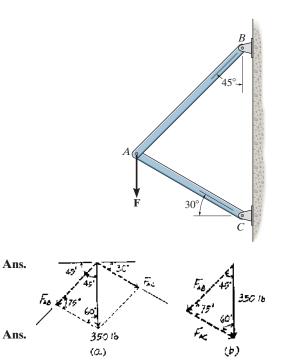
# SOLUTION

Parallelogram Law: The parallelogram law of addition is shown in Fig. a.

*Trigonometry:* Using the law of sines (Fig. *b*), we have

 $\frac{F_{AB}}{\sin 60^{\circ}} = \frac{350}{\sin 75^{\circ}}$  $F_{AB} = 314 \text{ lb}$  $\frac{F_{AC}}{\sin 45^{\circ}} = \frac{350}{\sin 75^{\circ}}$ 

$$F_{AC} = 256 \, \text{lb}$$



#### Ans: $F_{AB} = 314 \text{ lb}$ $F_{AC} = 256 \text{ lb}$

#### 2-6.

Determine the magnitude of the resultant force  $\mathbf{F}_{R} = \mathbf{F}_{1} + \mathbf{F}_{2}$  and its direction, measured clockwise from the positive *u* axis.

# SOLUTION

**Parallelogram Law.** The parallelogram law of addition is shown in Fig. *a*. **Trigonometry.** Applying Law of cosines by referring to Fig. *b*,

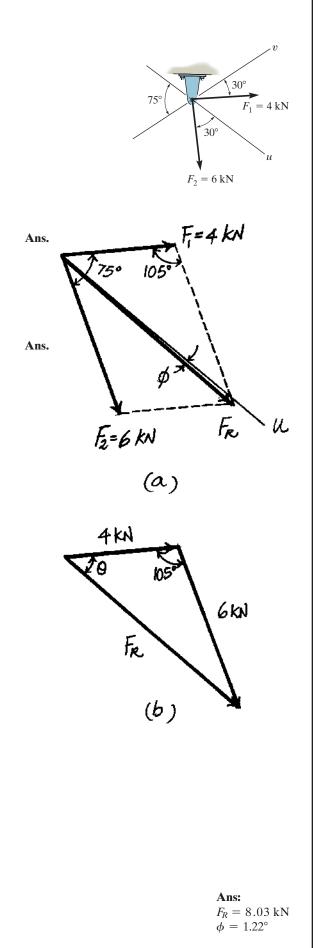
$$F_R = \sqrt{4^2 + 6^2 - 2(4)(6)\cos 105^\circ} = 8.026 \text{ kN} = 8.03 \text{ kN}$$

Using this result to apply Law of sines, Fig. b,

$$\frac{\sin\theta}{6} = \frac{\sin 105^\circ}{8.026}; \qquad \theta = 46.22^\circ$$

Thus, the direction  $\phi$  of  $\mathbf{F}_R$  measured clockwise from the positive u axis is

$$\phi = 46.22^{\circ} - 45^{\circ} = 1.22^{\circ}$$



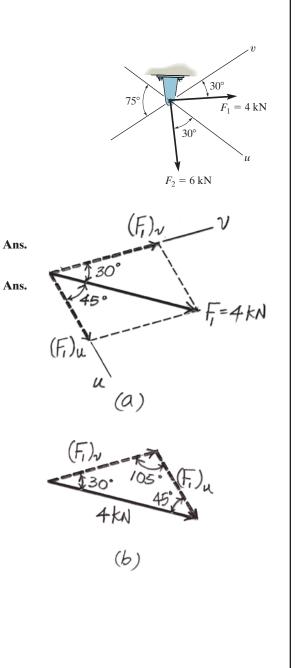
#### 2–7.

Resolve the force  $\mathbf{F}_1$  into components acting along the u and v axes and determine the magnitudes of the components.

# SOLUTION

**Parallelogram Law.** The parallelogram law of addition is shown in Fig. *a*. **Trigonometry.** Applying the sines law by referring to Fig. *b*.

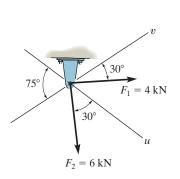
$$\frac{(F_1)_v}{\sin 45^\circ} = \frac{4}{\sin 105^\circ}; \qquad (F_1)_v = 2.928 \text{ kN} = 2.93 \text{ kN}$$
$$\frac{(F_1)_u}{\sin 30^\circ} = \frac{4}{\sin 105^\circ}; \qquad (F_1)_u = 2.071 \text{ kN} = 2.07 \text{ kN}$$



Ans:			
$(F_{1})_{v}$	=	2.93	kN
$(F_1)_u$	=	2.07	kN

#### \*2-8.

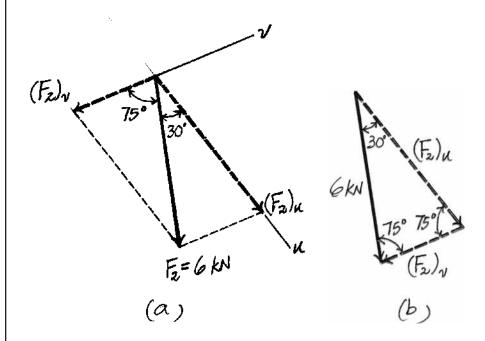
Resolve the force  $\mathbf{F}_2$  into components acting along the u and v axes and determine the magnitudes of the components.



# SOLUTION

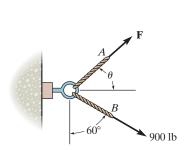
**Parallelogram Law.** The parallelogram law of addition is shown in Fig. *a*. **Trigonometry.** Applying the sines law of referring to Fig. *b*,

$$\frac{(F_2)_u}{\sin 75^\circ} = \frac{6}{\sin 75^\circ}; \quad (F_2)_u = 6.00 \text{ kN}$$
 Ans.  
$$\frac{(F_2)_v}{\sin 30^\circ} = \frac{6}{\sin 75^\circ}; \quad (F_2)_v = 3.106 \text{ kN} = 3.11 \text{ kN}$$
 Ans.



#### 2–9.

If the resultant force acting on the support is to be 1200 lb, directed horizontally to the right, determine the force  $\mathbf{F}$  in rope A and the corresponding angle  $\theta$ .

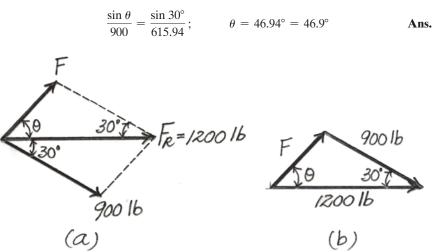


# SOLUTION

**Parallelogram Law.** The parallelogram law of addition is shown in Fig. *a*. **Trigonometry.** Applying the law of cosines by referring to Fig. *b*,

$$F = \sqrt{900^2 + 1200^2 - 2(900)(1200)} \cos 30^\circ = 615.94 \,\text{lb} = 616 \,\text{lb}$$
 Ans.

Using this result to apply the sines law, Fig. b,



# Determine the magnitude of the resultant force and its direction, measured counterclockwise from the positive x axis. 800 lb 40 х 35° 500 lb $\frac{\sin \theta}{500} = \frac{\sin 95^{\circ}}{979.66}; \qquad \theta = 30.56^{\circ}$ $\phi = 50^{\circ} - 30.56^{\circ} = 19.44^{\circ} = 19.4^{\circ}$ Ans. 800 lb tR. 5001b 800Ib χ 500 lb Fr a) (b) Ans: $F_R = 980 \, \text{lb}$ $\phi = 19.4^{\circ}$

# SOLUTION

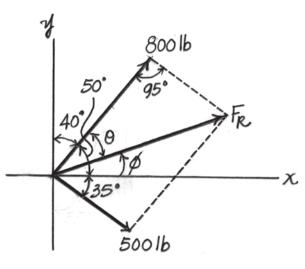
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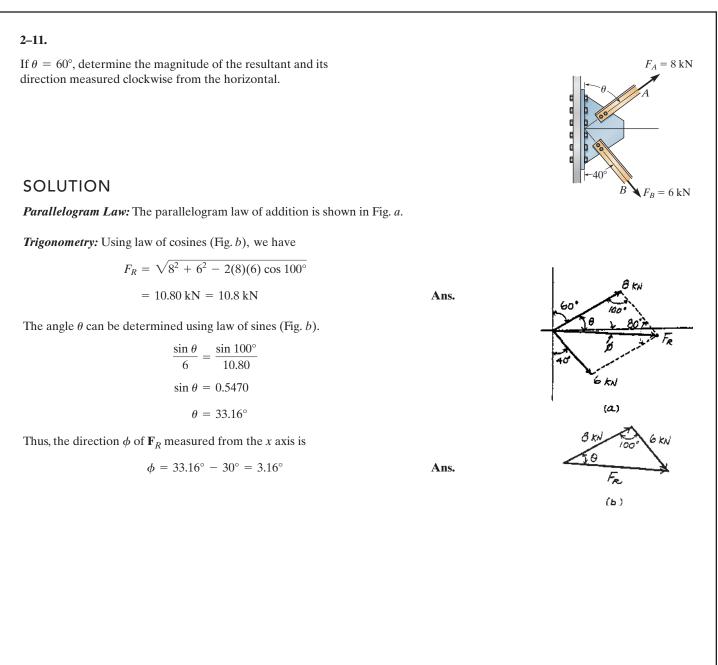
Parallelogram Law. The parallelogram law of addition is shown in Fig. a. Trigonometry. Applying the law of cosines by referring to Fig. b,

$$F_R = \sqrt{800^2 + 500^2 - 2(800)(500)\cos 95^\circ} = 979.66 \text{ lb} = 980 \text{ lb}$$
 Ans

Using this result to apply the sines law, Fig. *b*,

Thus, the direction  $\phi$  of  $\mathbf{F}_{R}$  measured counterclockwise from the positive x axis is





#### \*2–12.

Determine the angle  $\theta$  for connecting member A to the plate so that the resultant force of  $\mathbf{F}_A$  and  $\mathbf{F}_B$  is directed horizontally to the right. Also, what is the magnitude of the resultant force?

# SOLUTION

Parallelogram Law: The parallelogram law of addition is shown in Fig. a.

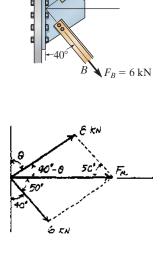
*Trigonometry:* Using law of sines (Fig.*b*), we have

$$\frac{\sin (90^\circ - \theta)}{6} = \frac{\sin 50^\circ}{8}$$
$$\sin (90^\circ - \theta) = 0.5745$$
$$\theta = 54.93^\circ = 54.9^\circ$$
Ans.

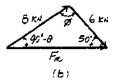
Ans.

From the triangle,  $\phi = 180^\circ - (90^\circ - 54.93^\circ) - 50^\circ = 94.93^\circ$ . Thus, using law of cosines, the magnitude of  $\mathbf{F}_R$  is

$$F_R = \sqrt{8^2 + 6^2 - 2(8)(6)\cos 94.93^\circ}$$
  
= 10.4 kN



 $F_A = 8 \text{ kN}$ 





#### 2–13.

The force acting on the gear tooth is F = 20 lb. Resolve this force into two components acting along the lines *aa* and *bb*.

# SOLUTION

$$\frac{20}{\sin 40^{\circ}} = \frac{F_a}{\sin 80^{\circ}}; \qquad F_a = 30.6 \text{ lb}$$
$$\frac{20}{\sin 40^{\circ}} = \frac{F_b}{\sin 60^{\circ}}; \qquad F_b = 26.9 \text{ lb}$$

Ans.

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#### 2–14.

The component of force F acting along line aa is required to be 30 lb. Determine the magnitude of  $\mathbf{F}$  and its component along line bb.

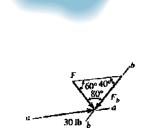
# SOLUTION



Ans.

 $\frac{30}{\sin 80^{\circ}} = \frac{F}{\sin 40^{\circ}}; \qquad F = 19.6 \text{ lb}$  $\frac{30}{\sin 80^{\circ}} = \frac{F_b}{\sin 60^{\circ}}; \qquad F_b = 26.4 \text{ lb}$ 

Ans.



F



Ans.

Ans.

#### 2–15.

Force **F** acts on the frame such that its component acting along member AB is 650 lb, directed from B towards A, and the component acting along member BC is 500 lb, directed from B towards C. Determine the magnitude of **F** and its direction  $\theta$ . Set  $\phi = 60^{\circ}$ .

#### SOLUTION

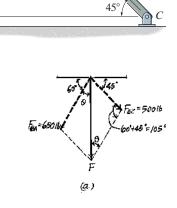
The parallelogram law of addition and triangular rule are shown in Figs. a and b, respectively.

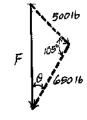
Applying the law of cosines to Fig. b,

$$F = \sqrt{500^2 + 650^2} - 2(500)(650) \cos 105^\circ$$
  
= 916.91 lb = 917 lb

Using this result and applying the law of sines to Fig. b yields

$$\frac{\sin\theta}{500} = \frac{\sin 105^{\circ}}{916.91} \qquad \theta = 31.8^{\circ}$$







Ans.

Ans.

#### \*2–16.

Force **F** acts on the frame such that its component acting along member *AB* is 650 lb, directed from *B* towards *A*. Determine the required angle  $\phi$  (0°  $\leq \phi \leq 45^{\circ}$ ) and the component acting along member *BC*. Set *F* = 850 lb and  $\theta = 30^{\circ}$ .

## SOLUTION

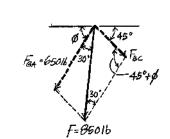
The parallelogram law of addition and the triangular rule are shown in Figs. *a* and *b*, respectively.

Applying the law of cosines to Fig. b,

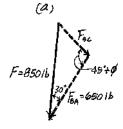
 $F_{BC} = \sqrt{850^2 + 650^2 - 2(850)(650)\cos 30^\circ}$ = 433.64 lb = 434 lb

Using this result and applying the sine law to Fig. *b* yields

$$\frac{\sin(45^\circ + \phi)}{850} = \frac{\sin 30^\circ}{433.64} \qquad \phi = 33.5^\circ$$

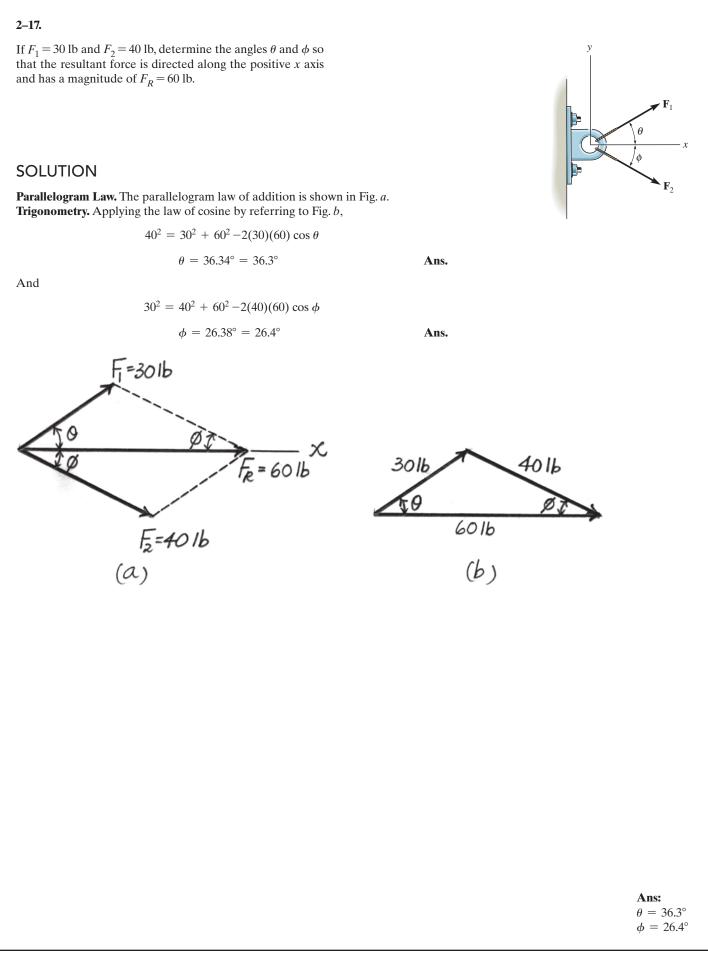


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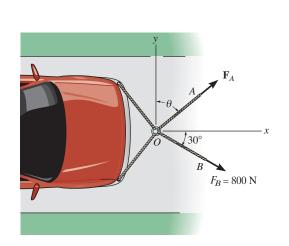
**Ans:**  
$$F_{BC} = 434 \text{ lb}$$
  
 $\phi = 33.5^{\circ}$ 



#### 2–18.

SOLUTION

Determine the magnitude and direction  $\theta$  of  $\mathbf{F}_A$  so that the resultant force is directed along the positive *x* axis and has a magnitude of 1250 N.



Ans.

Ans.

#### **Ans:** $\theta = 54.3^{\circ}$ $F_A = 686 \text{ N}$

# $\theta = 54.3^{\circ}$

$$F_A = 686 \, \text{N}$$

 $+\uparrow F_{R_y} = \Sigma F_y;$   $F_{R_y} = F_A \cos \theta - 800 \sin 30^\circ = 0$ 

 $\stackrel{+}{\longrightarrow} F_{R_x} = \Sigma F_x; \qquad F_{R_x} = F_A \sin \theta + 800 \cos 30^\circ = 1250$ 

#### 2–19.

Determine the magnitude of the resultant force acting on the ring at *O* if  $F_A = 750$  N and  $\theta = 45^{\circ}$ . What is its direction, measured counterclockwise from the positive *x* axis?

# SOLUTION

Scalar Notation: Suming the force components algebraically, we have

$$\stackrel{+}{\longrightarrow} F_{R_x} = \Sigma F_x; \qquad F_{R_x} = 750 \sin 45^\circ + 800 \cos 30$$

= 1223.15 N  $\rightarrow$ 

 $+\uparrow F_{R_y} = \Sigma F_y;$   $F_{R_y} = 750 \cos 45^\circ - 800 \sin 30^\circ$ 

The magnitude of the resultant force  $\mathbf{F}_R$  is

$$F_R = \sqrt{F_{R_x}^2 + F_{R_y}^2}$$
$$= \sqrt{1223.15^2 + 130.33^2} = 1230 \text{ N} = 1.23 \text{ kN}$$

The directional angle  $\theta$  measured counterclockwise from positive x axis is

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{F_{R_y}}{F_{R_x}} = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{130.33}{1223.15} \right) = 6.08^{\circ}$$
 Ans.

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Ans.

Ans:  $F_R = 1.23 \text{ kN}$  $\theta = 6.08^{\circ}$ 

#### \*2–20.

Determine the magnitude of force **F** so that the resultant  $\mathbf{F}_R$  of the three forces is as small as possible. What is the minimum magnitude of  $\mathbf{F}_R$ ?

# 8 kN 5 kN 5 kN 6 kN

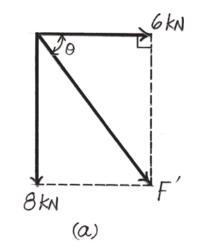
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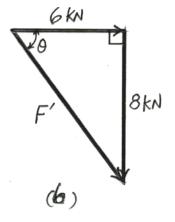
**Parallelogram Law.** The parallelogram laws of addition for 6 kN and 8 kN and then their resultant F' and F are shown in Figs. a and b, respectively. In order for  $F_R$  to be minimum, it must act perpendicular to **F**. **Trigonometry.** Referring to Fig. b,

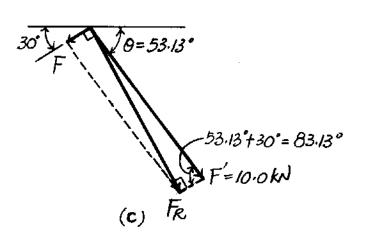
$$F' = \sqrt{6^2 + 8^2} = 10.0 \text{ kN}$$
  $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{8}{6}\right) = 53.13^\circ.$ 

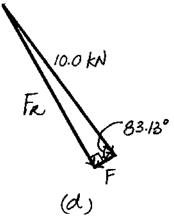
Referring to Figs. c and d,

$F_R = 10.0 \sin 83.13^\circ = 9.928 \text{ kN} = 9.93 \text{ kN}$	Ans.
$F = 10.0 \cos 83.13^\circ = 1.196 \text{ kN} = 1.20 \text{ kN}$	Ans.









**Ans:**  $F_R = 9.93 \text{ kN}$ F = 1.20 kN

#### 2–21.

If the resultant force of the two tugboats is 3 kN, directed along the positive x axis, determine the required magnitude of force  $\mathbf{F}_{B}$  and its direction  $\theta$ .

# SOLUTION

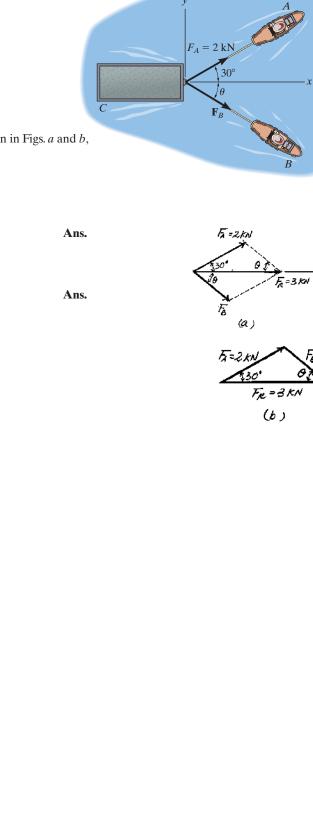
The parallelogram law of addition and the triangular rule are shown in Figs. a and b, respectively.

Applying the law of cosines to Fig. b,

$$F_B = \sqrt{2^2 + 3^2 - 2(2)(3)\cos 30^\circ}$$
  
= 1.615kN = 1.61 kN

Using this result and applying the law of sines to Fig. *b* yields

$$\frac{\sin\theta}{2} = \frac{\sin 30^{\circ}}{1.615} \qquad \theta = 38.3^{\circ}$$



Ans.

#### 2–22.

If  $F_B = 3$  kN and  $\theta = 45^\circ$ , determine the magnitude of the resultant force and its direction measured clockwise from the positive x axis.

# SOLUTION

The parallelogram law of addition and the triangular rule are shown in Figs. *a* and *b*, respectively.

Applying the law of cosines to Fig. b,

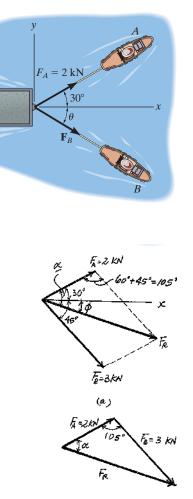
$$F_R = \sqrt{2^2 + 3^2 - 2(2)(3)\cos 105^\circ}$$
  
= 4.013 kN = 4.01 kN

Using this result and applying the law of sines to Fig. *b* yields

$$\frac{\sin \alpha}{3} = \frac{\sin 105^{\circ}}{4.013} \qquad \alpha = 46.22^{\circ}$$

Thus, the direction angle  $\phi$  of  $\mathbf{F}_R$ , measured clockwise from the positive x axis, is

$$\phi = \alpha - 30^\circ = 46.22^\circ - 30^\circ = 16.2^\circ$$
 Ans.



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Ans:  

$$F_R = 4.01 \text{ kN}$$
  
 $\phi = 16.2^\circ$ 

#### 2–23.

If the resultant force of the two tugboats is required to be directed towards the positive x axis, and  $\mathbf{F}_B$  is to be a minimum, determine the magnitude of  $\mathbf{F}_R$  and  $\mathbf{F}_B$  and the angle  $\theta$ .

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# SOLUTION

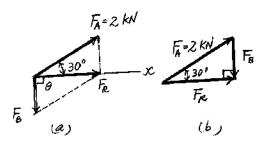
For  $\mathbf{F}_B$  to be minimum, it has to be directed perpendicular to  $\mathbf{F}_R$ . Thus,

$$\theta = 90^{\circ}$$

The parallelogram law of addition and triangular rule are shown in Figs. a and b, respectively.

By applying simple trigonometry to Fig. *b*,

$$F_B = 2 \sin 30^\circ = 1 \text{ kN}$$
 Ans.  
 $F_R = 2 \cos 30^\circ = 1.73 \text{ kN}$  Ans.





#### \*2–24.

Determine the magnitude of the resultant force and its direction, measured counterclockwise from the positive *x* axis.

# y $F_1 = 200 \text{ N}$ $45^{\circ}$ $70^{\circ}$ $F_2 = 150 \text{ N}$

## SOLUTION

**Scalar Notation.** Summing the force components along *x* and *y* axes algebraically by referring to Fig. *a*,

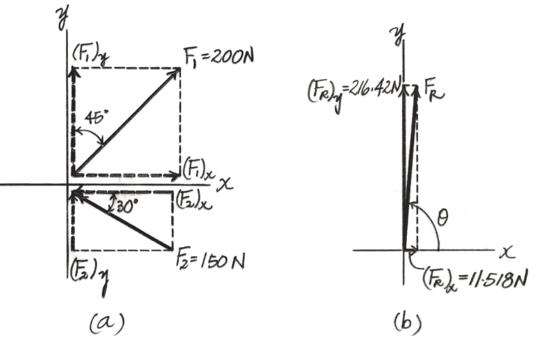
 $\stackrel{+}{\rightarrow}$  (F<sub>R</sub>)<sub>x</sub> = ΣF<sub>x</sub>; (F<sub>R</sub>)<sub>x</sub> = 200 sin 45° − 150 cos 30° = 11.518 N → + ↑(F<sub>R</sub>)<sub>y</sub> = ΣF<sub>y</sub>; (F<sub>R</sub>)<sub>y</sub> = 200 cos 45° + 150 sin 30° = 216.42 N ↑

Referring to Fig. b, the magnitude of the resultant force  $F_R$  is

$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2} = \sqrt{11.518^2 + 216.42^2} = 216.73 \text{ N} = 217 \text{ N}$$
 Ans.

And the directional angle  $\theta$  of  $\mathbf{F}_R$  measured counterclockwise from the positive x axis is

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_y}{(F_R)_x} \right] = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{216.42}{11.518} \right) = 86.95^\circ = 87.0^\circ$$
 Ans.



Ans:  $F_R = 217 \text{ N}$  $\theta = 87.0^\circ$ 

#### 2–25.

Determine the magnitude of the resultant force and its direction, measured clockwise from the positive *x* axis.

# SOLUTION

**Scalar Notation.** Summing the force components along x and y axes by referring to Fig. a,

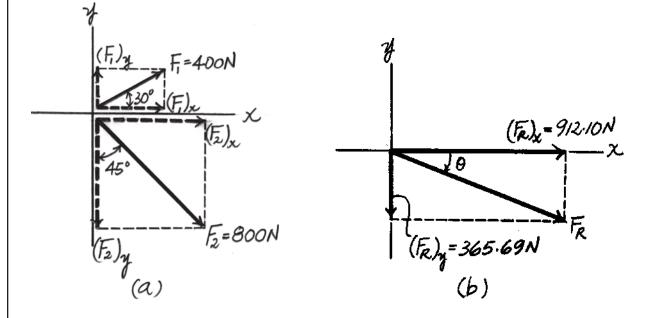
 $\stackrel{+}{\rightarrow}$  (*F<sub>R</sub>*)<sub>*x*</sub> = Σ*F<sub>x</sub>*; (*F<sub>R</sub>*)<sub>*x*</sub> = 400 cos 30° + 800 sin 45° = 912.10 N → +↑(*F<sub>R</sub>*)<sub>*y*</sub> = Σ*F<sub>y</sub>*; (*F<sub>R</sub>*)<sub>*y*</sub> = 400 sin 30° - 800 cos 45° = -365.69 N = 365.69 N↓

Referring to Fig. b, the magnitude of the resultant force is

$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2} = \sqrt{912.10^2 + 365.69^2} = 982.67 \text{ N} = 983 \text{ N}$$
 Ans.

And its directional angle  $\theta$  measured clockwise from the positive x axis is

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_y}{(F_R)_x} \right] = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{365.69}{912.10} \right) = 21.84^\circ = 21.8^\circ$$
 Ans.



400 N

30°

800 N

B

#### 2–26.

SOLUTION

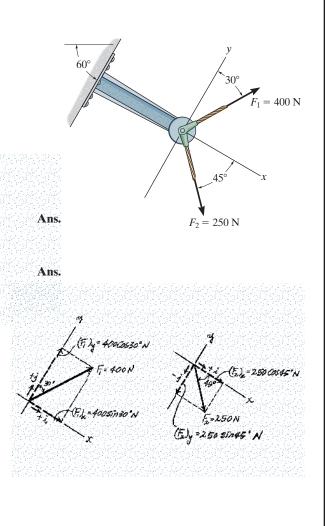
Resolve  $\mathbf{F}_1$  and  $\mathbf{F}_2$  into their x and y components.

 $\mathbf{F}_1 = \{400 \sin 30^\circ (+\mathbf{i}) + 400 \cos 30^\circ (+\mathbf{j})\}$  N

 $\mathbf{F}_2 = \{250 \cos 45^\circ (+\mathbf{i}) + 250 \sin 45^\circ (-\mathbf{j})\}$  N

= {200**i**+346**j**} N

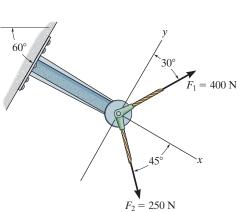
 $= \{177i - 177j\} N$ 



#### Ans: $F_1 = \{200i + 346j\} N$ $F_2 = \{177i - 177j\} N$

#### 2–27.

Determine the magnitude of the resultant force and its direction measured counterclockwise from the positive *x* axis.



## SOLUTION

**Rectangular Components:** By referring to Fig. *a*, the *x* and *y* components of  $\mathbf{F}_1$  and  $\mathbf{F}_2$  can be written as

 $(F_1)_x = 400 \sin 30^\circ = 200 \text{ N}$   $(F_1)_y = 400 \cos 30^\circ = 346.41 \text{ N}$ 

$$(F_2)_x = 250 \cos 45^\circ = 176.78 \text{ N}$$
  $(F_2)_y = 250 \sin 45^\circ = 176.78 \text{ N}$ 

**Resultant Force:** Summing the force components algebraically along the x and y axes, we have

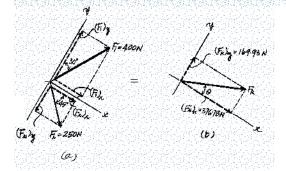
$$\stackrel{+}{\longrightarrow} \Sigma(F_R)_x = \Sigma F_x; \qquad (F_R)_x = 200 + 176.78 = 376.78 \text{ N}$$
$$+ \uparrow \Sigma(F_R)_y = \Sigma F_y; \qquad (F_R)_y = 346.41 - 176.78 = 169.63 \text{ N}'$$

The magnitude of the resultant force  $\mathbf{F}_R$  is

$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2} = \sqrt{376.78^2 + 169.63^2} = 413 \text{ N}$$
 Ans

The direction angle  $\theta$  of  $\mathbf{F}_R$ , Fig. b, measured counterclockwise from the positive axis, is

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_y}{(F_R)_x} \right] = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{169.63}{376.78} \right) = 24.2^{\circ}$$
 Ans



Ans:  $F_R = 413 \text{ N}$  $\theta = 24.2^{\circ}$ 

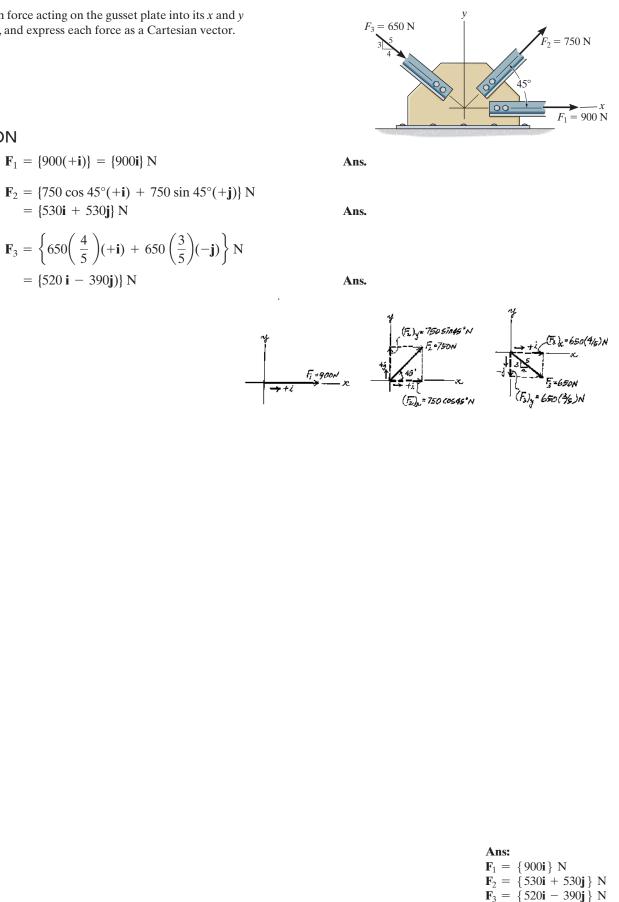
#### \*2-28.

SOLUTION

Resolve each force acting on the gusset plate into its x and ycomponents, and express each force as a Cartesian vector.

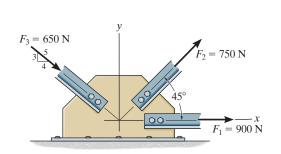
 $= \{530i + 530j\}$  N

 $= \{520 i - 390 j)\}$  N



#### 2–29.

Determine the magnitude of the resultant force acting on the gusset plate and its direction, measured counterclockwise from the positive x axis.



# SOLUTION

**Rectangular Components:** By referring to Fig. *a*, the *x* and *y* components of  $\mathbf{F}_1$ ,  $\mathbf{F}_2$ , and  $\mathbf{F}_3$  can be written as

$$(F_1)_x = 900 \text{ N} (F_1)_y = 0$$
  

$$(F_2)_x = 750 \cos 45^\circ = 530.33 \text{ N} (F_2)_y = 750 \sin 45^\circ = 530.33 \text{ N}$$
  

$$(F_3)_x = 650 \left(\frac{4}{5}\right) = 520 \text{ N} (F_3)_y = 650 \left(\frac{3}{5}\right) = 390 \text{ N}$$

**Resultant Force:** Summing the force components algebraically along the x and y axes, we have

$$\stackrel{+}{\rightarrow}$$
 Σ(F<sub>R</sub>)<sub>x</sub> = ΣF<sub>x</sub>; (F<sub>R</sub>)<sub>x</sub> = 900 + 530.33 + 520 = 1950.33 N →  
+↑Σ(F<sub>R</sub>)<sub>y</sub> = ΣF<sub>y</sub>; (F<sub>R</sub>)<sub>y</sub> = 530.33 - 390 = 140.33 N ↑

The magnitude of the resultant force  $\mathbf{F}_R$  is

 $\theta =$ 

$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2} = \sqrt{1950.33^2 + 140.33^2} = 1955 \text{ N} = 1.96 \text{ kN}$$
 Ans.

The direction angle  $\theta$  of  $\mathbf{F}_R$ , measured clockwise from the positive x axis, is

$$\tan^{-1}\left[\frac{(F_R)_y}{(F_R)_x}\right] = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{140.33}{1950.33}\right) = 4.12^{\circ} \qquad \text{Ans.}$$

$$\int_{F_R}^{F_R} \frac{1}{750N} = \frac{1}{(F_R)_y} \frac$$

Ans:  $F_R = 1.96 \text{ kN}$  $\theta = 4.12^\circ$ 

#### 2-30.

Express each of the three forces acting on the support in Cartesian vector form and determine the magnitude of the resultant force and its direction, measured clockwise from positive x axis.

# SOLUTION

Cartesian Notation. Referring to Fig. a,

$$\mathbf{F}_{1} = (F_{1})_{x} \mathbf{i} + (F_{1})_{y} \mathbf{j} = 50 \left(\frac{3}{5}\right) \mathbf{i} + 50 \left(\frac{4}{5}\right) \mathbf{j} = \{30 \, \mathbf{i} + 40 \, \mathbf{j}\} \, \mathbf{N} \qquad \mathbf{Ans.}$$
$$\mathbf{F}_{2} = -(F_{2})_{x} \mathbf{i} - (F_{2})_{y} \mathbf{j} = -80 \sin 15^{\circ} \mathbf{i} - 80 \cos 15^{\circ} \mathbf{j}$$
$$= \{-20.71 \, \mathbf{i} - 77.27 \, \mathbf{j}\} \, \mathbf{N}$$
$$= \{-20.7 \, \mathbf{i} - 77.3 \, \mathbf{j}\} \, \mathbf{N} \qquad \mathbf{Ans.}$$
$$F_{3} = (F_{3})_{x} \mathbf{i} = \{30 \, \mathbf{i}\} \qquad \mathbf{Ans.}$$

Thus, the resultant force is

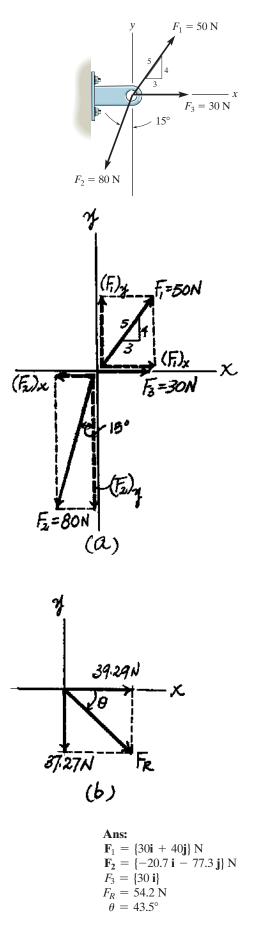
$$\mathbf{F}_{R} = \Sigma \mathbf{F}; \qquad \mathbf{F}_{R} = \mathbf{F}_{1} + \mathbf{F}_{2} + \mathbf{F}_{3}$$
$$= (30\mathbf{i} + 40\mathbf{j}) + (-20.71\mathbf{i} - 77.27\mathbf{j}) + 30\mathbf{i}$$
$$= \{39.29\mathbf{i} - 37.27\mathbf{j}\} \mathrm{N}$$

Referring to Fig. b, the magnitude of  $\mathbf{F}_R$  is

$$F_R = \sqrt{39.29^2 + 37.27^2} = 54.16 \text{ N} = 54.2 \text{ N}$$

And its directional angle  $\theta$  measured clockwise from the positive x axis is

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{37.27}{39.29}\right) = 43.49^\circ = 43.5^\circ$$

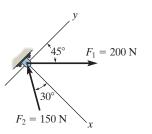


Ans.

Ans.

#### 2–31.

Determine the x and y components of  $\mathbf{F}_1$  and  $\mathbf{F}_2$ .



# SOLUTION

$$F_{1x} = 200 \sin 45^\circ = 141 \text{ N}$$
 Ans.

$$F_{1y} = 200 \cos 45^\circ = 141 \text{ N}$$
 Ans.

$$F_{2x} = -150 \cos 30^\circ = -130 \,\mathrm{N}$$
 Ans.

$$F_{2v} = 150 \sin 30^\circ = 75 \text{ N}$$
 Ans.

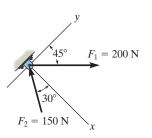
Ans:  $F_{1x} = 141 \text{ N}$   $F_{1y} = 141 \text{ N}$   $F_{2x} = -130 \text{ N}$  $F_{2y} = 75 \text{ N}$ 

Ans.

Ans.

#### \*2–32.

Determine the magnitude of the resultant force and its direction, measured counterclockwise from the positive x axis.



# SOLUTION

 $+\Im F_{Rx} = \Sigma F_{x}; \qquad F_{Rx} = -150 \cos 30^{\circ} + 200 \sin 45^{\circ} = 11.518 \text{ N}$   $\nearrow + F_{Ry} = \Sigma F_{y}; \qquad F_{Ry} = 150 \sin 30^{\circ} + 200 \cos 45^{\circ} = 216.421 \text{ N}$   $F_{R} = \sqrt{(11.518)^{2} + (216.421)^{2}} = 217 \text{ N}$  $\theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{216.421}{11.518}\right) = 87.0^{\circ}$ 

> Ans:  $F_R = 217 \text{ N}$  $\theta = 87.0^\circ$

#### 2-33.

Determine the magnitude of the resultant force and its direction, measured counterclockwise from the positive x axis.

# SOLUTION

Scalar Notation. Summing the force components along x and y axes algebraically by referring to Fig. a,

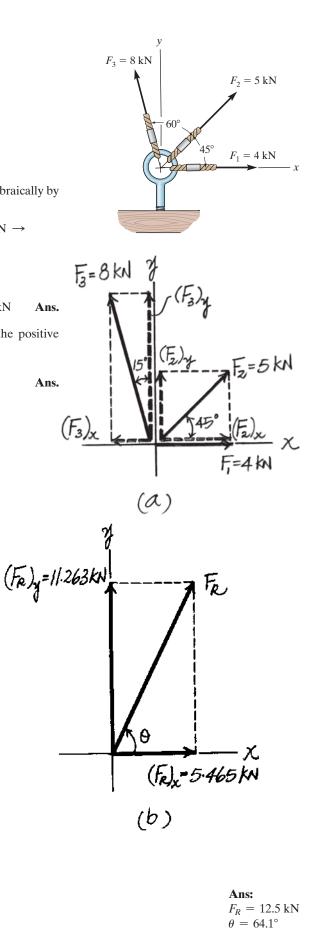
 $\stackrel{+}{\to} (F_R)_x = \Sigma F_x;$   $(F_R)_x = 4 + 5\cos 45^\circ - 8\sin 15^\circ = 5.465 \text{ kN} \rightarrow$  $+\uparrow (F_R)_y = \Sigma F_y;$   $(F_R)_y = 5 \sin 45^\circ + 8 \cos 15^\circ = 11.263 \text{ kN} \uparrow$ 

By referring to Fig. b, the magnitude of the resultant force  $\mathbf{F}_{R}$  is

$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2} = \sqrt{5.465^2 + 11.263^2} = 12.52 \text{ kN} = 12.5 \text{ kN}$$
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And the directional angle  $\theta$  of  $\mathbf{F}_R$  measured counterclockwise from the positive x axis is

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_y}{(F_R)_x} \right] = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{11.263}{5.465} \right) = 64.12^\circ = 64.1^\circ$$



Ans.

Ans.

Ans.

#### 2–34.

Express  $\mathbf{F}_1, \mathbf{F}_2$ , and  $\mathbf{F}_3$  as Cartesian vectors.

# SOLUTION

$$\mathbf{F}_{1} = \frac{4}{5}(850)\,\mathbf{i} - \frac{3}{5}(850)\,\mathbf{j}$$

$$= \{680 \mathbf{i} - 510 \mathbf{j}\} \mathbf{N}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_2 = -625 \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{i} - 625 \cos 30^\circ \mathbf{j}$$

$$= \{-312 \mathbf{i} - 541 \mathbf{j}\} \mathbf{N}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_3 = -750 \sin 45^\circ \mathbf{i} + 750 \cos 45^\circ \mathbf{j}$$

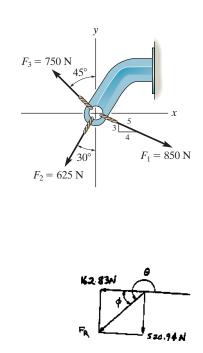
$$= \{-530 \mathbf{i} + 530 \mathbf{j}\} \mathbf{N}$$

 $F_3 = 750 \text{ N}$   $F_3 = 750 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 625 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 625 \text{ N}$  $F_2 = 625 \text{ N}$ 

> Ans:  $F_1 = \{680i - 510j\} N$   $F_2 = \{-312i - 541j\} N$  $F_3 = \{-530i + 530j\} N$

#### 2–35.

Determine the magnitude of the resultant force and its direction, measured counterclockwise from the positive *x* axis.



# SOLUTION

$\stackrel{+}{\rightarrow} F_{Rx} = \Sigma F_x;$	$F_{Rx} = \frac{4}{5}(850) - 625 \sin 30^{\circ} - 750 \sin 45^{\circ} = -162.83 \text{ N}$	
$+\uparrow F_{Ry}=\Sigma F_{y};$	$F_{Ry} = -\frac{3}{5}(850) - 625\cos 30^\circ + 750\cos 45^\circ = -520.94$	N
	$F_R = \sqrt{(-162.83)^2 + (-520.94)^2} = 546 \mathrm{N}$	Ans.
	$\phi = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{520.94}{162.83} \right) = 72.64^{\circ}$	
	$\theta = 180^{\circ} + 72.64^{\circ} = 253^{\circ}$	Ans.

Ans:  $F_R = 546 \text{ N}$  $\theta = 253^\circ$ 

#### \*2–36.

Determine the magnitude of the resultant force and its direction, measured clockwise from the positive x axis.

# SOLUTION

**Scalar Notation.** Summing the force components along *x* and *y* axes algebraically by referring to Fig. *a*,

$$\stackrel{+}{\rightarrow} (F_R)_x = \Sigma F_x; \qquad (F_R)_x = 40\left(\frac{3}{5}\right) + 91\left(\frac{5}{13}\right) + 30 = 89 \text{ lb} \rightarrow$$

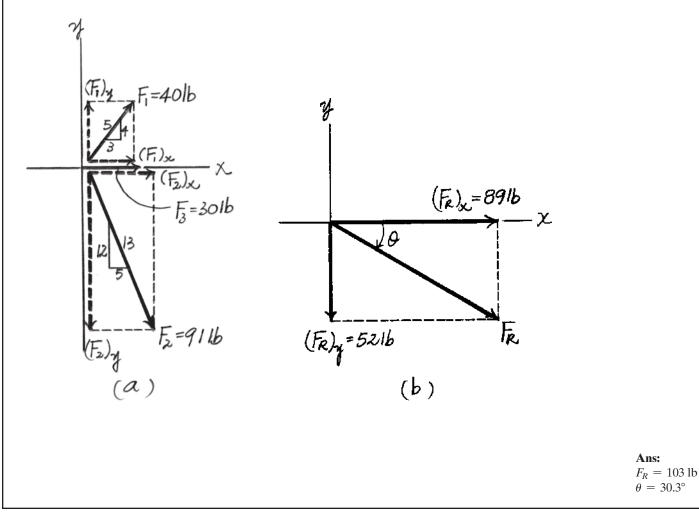
$$+\uparrow (F_R)_y = \Sigma F_y;$$
  $(F_R)_y = 40\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) - 91\left(\frac{12}{13}\right) = -52 \text{ lb} = 52 \text{ lb} \downarrow$ 

By referring to Fig. b, the magnitude of resultant force is

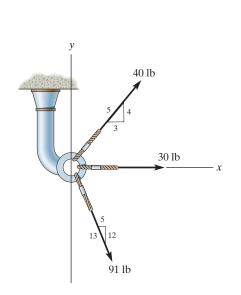
$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2} = \sqrt{89^2 + 52^2} = 103.08 \text{ lb} = 103 \text{ lb}$$
 Ans

And its directional angle  $\theta$  measured clockwise from the positive x axis is

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_y}{(F_R)_x} \right] = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{52}{89} \right) = 30.30^\circ = 30.3^\circ$$
 Ans.



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#### 2–37.

Determine the magnitude and direction  $\theta$  of the resultant force  $\mathbf{F}_{R}$ . Express the result in terms of the magnitudes of the components  $\mathbf{F}_{1}$  and  $\mathbf{F}_{2}$  and the angle  $\phi$ .

 $F_{1}$   $F_{R}$   $F_{2}$   $F_{2}$   $F_{2}$   $F_{2}$   $F_{2}$   $F_{3}$   $F_{4}$   $F_{5}$ 

# SOLUTION

$$F_R^2 = F_1^2 + F_2^2 - 2F_1F_2\cos(180^\circ - \phi)$$

Since  $\cos(180^\circ - \phi) = -\cos\phi$ ,

$$F_R = \sqrt{F_1^2 + F_2^2 + 2F_1F_2\cos\phi}$$

From the figure,

$$\tan \theta = \frac{F_1 \sin \phi}{F_2 + F_1 \cos \phi}$$
$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{F_1 \sin \phi}{F_2 + F_1 \cos \phi} \right)$$

Ans.

Ans.

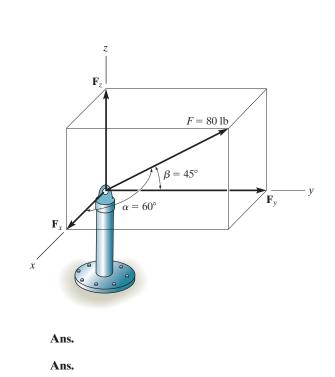
Ans:  

$$F_R = \sqrt{F_1^2 + F_2^2 + 2F_1F_2\cos\phi}$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{F_1\sin\phi}{F_2 + F_1\cos\phi}\right)$$

#### 2–38.

The force **F** has a magnitude of 80 lb. Determine the magnitudes of the x, y, z components of **F**.



Ans.

# SOLUTION

 $1 = \cos^2 60^\circ + \cos^2 45^\circ + \cos^2 \gamma$ 

Solving for the positive root,  $\gamma = 60^{\circ}$ 

 $F_x = 80 \cos 60^\circ = 40.0 \,\mathrm{lb}$ 

 $F_y = 80 \cos 45^\circ = 56.6 \, \text{lb}$ 

 $F_z = 80 \cos 60^\circ = 40.0 \, \text{lb}$ 

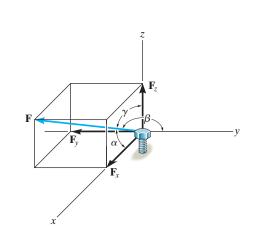
Ans:	
$F_x =$	40.0 lb
$F_v =$	56.6 lb
$\dot{F_z} =$	40.0 lb

Ans.

Ans.

#### 2–39.

The bolt is subjected to the force **F**, which has components acting along the *x*, *y*, *z* axes as shown. If the magnitude of **F** is 80 N, and  $\alpha = 60^{\circ}$  and  $\gamma = 45^{\circ}$ , determine the magnitudes of its components.



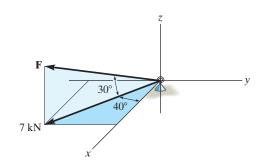
# SOLUTION

$$\cos\beta = \sqrt{1 - \cos^{2}\alpha - \cos^{2}\gamma} \\ = \sqrt{1 - \cos^{2}60^{\circ} - \cos^{2}45^{\circ}} \\ \beta = 120^{\circ} \\ F_{x} = |80 \cos 60^{\circ}| = 40 \text{ N} \\ F_{y} = |80 \cos 120^{\circ}| = 40 \text{ N} \\ F_{z} = |80 \cos 45^{\circ}| = 56.6 \text{ N}$$

**Ans:**  $F_x = 40 \text{ N}$  $F_y = 40 \text{ N}$  $F_z = 56.6 \text{ N}$ 

#### \*2–40.

Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the force **F** acting on the support. The component of **F** in the x-y plane is 7 kN.



### SOLUTION

#### Coordinate Direction Angles. The unit vector of F is

$$\mathbf{u}_F = \cos 30^\circ \cos 40^\circ \mathbf{i} - \cos 30^\circ \sin 40^\circ \mathbf{j} + \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{k}$$

$$= \{0.6634\mathbf{i} - 0.5567\mathbf{j} + 0.5 \,\mathbf{k}\}\$$

Thus,

$$\cos \alpha = 0.6634;$$
 $\alpha = 48.44^{\circ} = 48.4^{\circ}$ 
 Ans.

  $\cos \beta = -0.5567;$ 
 $\beta = 123.83^{\circ} = 124^{\circ}$ 
 Ans.

  $\cos \gamma = 0.5;$ 
 $\gamma = 60^{\circ}$ 
 Ans.

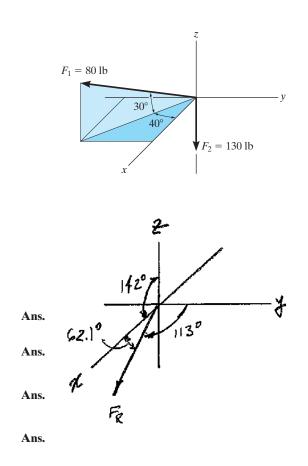
The magnitude of  $\mathbf{F}$  can be determined from

$$F \cos 30^\circ = 7;$$
  $F = 8.083 \text{ kN} = 8.08 \text{ kN}$  Ans.

**Ans:**   $\alpha = 48.4^{\circ}$   $\beta = 124^{\circ}$   $\gamma = 60^{\circ}$ F = 8.08 kN

#### 2–41.

Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force and sketch this vector on the coordinate system.



### SOLUTION

 $\mathbf{F}_{1} = \{80 \cos 30^{\circ} \cos 40^{\circ} \mathbf{i} - 80 \cos 30^{\circ} \sin 40^{\circ} \mathbf{j} + 80 \sin 30^{\circ} \mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$ 

$$\mathbf{F}_1 = \{53.1\mathbf{i} - 44.5\mathbf{j} + 40\mathbf{k}\} \, lb$$

$$\mathbf{F}_2 = \{-130\mathbf{k}\} \, lb$$

$$\mathbf{F}_R = \mathbf{F}_1 + \mathbf{F}_2$$

$$\mathbf{F}_R = \{53.1\mathbf{i} - 44.5\mathbf{j} - 90.0\mathbf{k}\} \, \text{lb}$$

$$F_R = \sqrt{(53.1)^2 + (-44.5)^2 + (-90.0)^2} = 114 \text{ lb}$$
  
 $\alpha = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{53.1}{2}\right) = 62.1^\circ$ 

$$\alpha = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-44.5}{113.6}\right) = 62.1^{\circ}$$
$$\beta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-44.5}{113.6}\right) = 113^{\circ}$$
$$\gamma = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-90.0}{113.6}\right) = 142^{\circ}$$

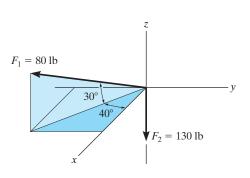
Ans:  $F_R = 114 \text{ lb}$   $\alpha = 62.1^\circ$   $\beta = 113^\circ$  $\gamma = 142^\circ$ 

Ans.

Ans.

#### 2–42.

Specify the coordinate direction angles of  ${\bf F}_1$  and  ${\bf F}_2$  and express each force as a Cartesian vector.



### SOLUTION

 $\mathbf{F}_{1} = \{80 \cos 30^{\circ} \cos 40^{\circ} \mathbf{i} - 80 \cos 30^{\circ} \sin 40^{\circ} \mathbf{j} + 80 \sin 30^{\circ} \mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$ 

$$\mathbf{F}_{1} = \{53.1\mathbf{i} - 44.5\mathbf{j} + 40\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$
Ans.  
$$\alpha_{1} = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{53.1}{80}\right) = 48.4^{\circ}$$
Ans.

$$\beta_1 = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-44.5}{80} \right) = 124^{\circ}$$
 Ans.

$$\gamma_1 = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{40}{80}\right) = 60^\circ \qquad \text{Ans.}$$

 $\mathbf{F}_2 = \{-130\mathbf{k}\} \, lb$ 

$$\alpha_2 = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{0}{130}\right) = 90^{\circ}$$

$$\beta_2 = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{0}{130} \right) = 90^{\circ}$$
 Ans.

$$\gamma_2 = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-130}{130}\right) = 180^{\circ}$$
 Ans.

Ans:  $\mathbf{F}_1 = \{53.1\mathbf{i} - 44.5\mathbf{j} + 40\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$   $\alpha_1 = 48.4^\circ$   $\beta_1 = 124^\circ$   $\gamma_1 = 60^\circ$   $\mathbf{F}_2 = \{-130\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$   $\alpha_2 = 90^\circ$   $\beta_2 = 90^\circ$  $\gamma_2 = 180^\circ$ 

#### 2–43.

Express each force in Cartesian vector form and then determine the resultant force. Find the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force.

 $\mathbf{F}_1 = 300(-\cos 60^\circ \sin 45^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 60^\circ \cos 45^\circ \mathbf{j} + \sin 60^\circ \mathbf{k})$ 

# $F_1 = 300 \text{ N}$ $F_1 = 300 \text{ N}$ $60^{\circ}$ $45^{\circ}$ x $F_2 = 500 \text{ N}$

### SOLUTION

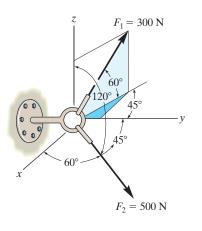
$= \{-106.07\mathbf{i} + 106.07\mathbf{j} + 2.00\mathbf{j} \}$	59.81 <b>k</b> } N	
$= \{-106\mathbf{i} + 106\mathbf{j} + 260\mathbf{k}\}\mathbf{k}$	N	Ans.
$\mathbf{F}_2 = 500(\cos 60^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 45^\circ \mathbf{j} + $	$\vdash \cos 120^{\circ} \mathbf{k}$ )	
$= \{250.0\mathbf{i} + 353.55\mathbf{j} - 250.0\mathbf{i} \}$	0 <b>k</b> } N	
$= \{250i + 354j - 250k\} N$		Ans.
$\mathbf{F}_R = \mathbf{F}_1 + \mathbf{F}_2$		
$= -106.07\mathbf{i} + 106.07\mathbf{j} + 25$	$59.81\mathbf{k} + 250.0\mathbf{i} + 353.55\mathbf{j} - 250.0\mathbf{k}$	
$= 143.93 \mathbf{i} + 459.62 \mathbf{j} + 9.81$	k	
$= \{144\mathbf{i} + 460\mathbf{j} + 9.81\mathbf{k}\}\mathbf{N}$		Ans.
$F_R = \sqrt{143.93^2 + 459.62^2 + 9.81^2} = 481.73 \text{ N} = 482 \text{ N}$		Ans.
$\mathbf{u}_{F_R} = \frac{\mathbf{F}_R}{F_R} = \frac{143.93\mathbf{i} + 459.62\mathbf{j}}{481.73}$	$+ 9.81\mathbf{k} = 0.2988\mathbf{i} + 0.9541\mathbf{j} + 0.02036\mathbf{k}$	
$\cos \alpha = 0.2988$ $\alpha$	= 72.6°	Ans.
$\cos \beta = 0.9541$ $\beta$	= 17.4°	Ans.
$\cos \gamma = 0.02036$ $\gamma$	$= 88.8^{\circ}$	Ans.

#### Ans: $F_1 = \{-106\mathbf{i} + 106\mathbf{j} + 260\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$ $F_2 = \{250\mathbf{i} + 354\mathbf{j} - 250\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$ $F_R = \{144\mathbf{i} + 460\mathbf{j} + 9.81\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$ $F_R = 482 \text{ N}$ $\alpha = 72.6^{\circ}$ $\beta = 17.4^{\circ}$ $\gamma = 88.8^{\circ}$

Ans.

#### \*2–44.

Determine the coordinate direction angles of  $\mathbf{F}_1$ .



# SOLUTION

 $\mathbf{F}_{1} = 300(-\cos 60^{\circ} \sin 45^{\circ} \mathbf{i} + \cos 60^{\circ} \cos 45^{\circ} \mathbf{j} + \sin 60^{\circ} \mathbf{k})$ 

$$= \{-106.07\,\mathbf{i} + 106.07\,\mathbf{j} + 259.81\,\mathbf{k}\}\,\mathbf{N}$$

$$= \{-106\mathbf{i} + 106\mathbf{j} + 260\mathbf{k}\} N$$

$$\mathbf{u}_1 = \frac{\mathbf{F}_1}{300} = -0.3536\mathbf{i} + 0.3536\mathbf{j} + 0.8660\mathbf{k}$$

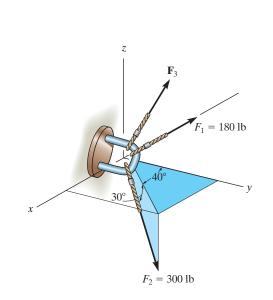
$$\alpha_1 = \cos^{-1}(-0.3536) = 111^{\circ}$$
 Ans.

$$\beta_1 = \cos^{-1}(0.3536) = 69.3^{\circ}$$
 Ans.

$$\gamma_1 = \cos^{-1}(0.8660) = 30.0^{\circ}$$

#### 2–45.

Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of  $\mathbf{F}_3$  so that the resultant of the three forces acts along the positive y axis and has a magnitude of 600 lb.



# SOLUTION

 $F_{Rx} = \Sigma F_x ; \qquad 0 = -180 + 300 \cos 30^\circ \sin 40^\circ + F_3 \cos \alpha$   $F_{Ry} = \Sigma F_y ; \qquad 600 = 300 \cos 30^\circ \cos 40^\circ + F_3 \cos \beta$   $F_{Rz} = \Sigma F_z ; \qquad 0 = -300 \sin 30^\circ + F_3 \cos \gamma$  $\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$ 

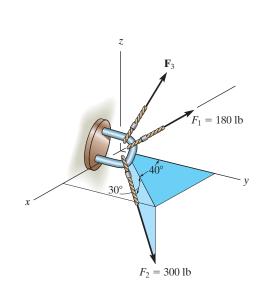
Solving:



#### **Ans:** $F_3 = 428 \text{ lb}$ $\alpha = 88.3^{\circ}$ $\beta = 20.6^{\circ}$ $\gamma = 69.5^{\circ}$

#### 2-46.

Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of  $\mathbf{F}_3$  so that the resultant of the three forces is zero.



# SOLUTION

 $F_{Rx} = \Sigma F_x; \qquad 0 = -180 + 300 \cos 30^\circ \sin 40^\circ + F_3 \cos \alpha$  $F_{Ry} = \Sigma F_y; \qquad 0 = 300 \cos 30^\circ \cos 40^\circ + F_3 \cos \beta$  $F_{Rz} = \Sigma F_z; \qquad 0 = -300 \sin 30^\circ + F_3 \cos \gamma$  $\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$ 

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Solving:



$$= 53.1^{\circ}$$
 Ans.

**Ans:**  

$$F_3 = 250 \text{ lb}$$
  
 $\alpha = 87.0^{\circ}$   
 $\beta = 143^{\circ}$   
 $\gamma = 53.1^{\circ}$ 

#### 2–47.

Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force, and sketch this vector on the coordinate system.

### SOLUTION

#### Cartesian Vector Notation. For $\mathbf{F}_1$ and $\mathbf{F}_2$ ,

 $\mathbf{F}_{1} = 400 (\cos 45^{\circ} \mathbf{i} + \cos 60^{\circ} \mathbf{j} - \cos 60^{\circ} \mathbf{k}) = \{282.84 \mathbf{i} + 200 \mathbf{j} - 200 \mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$ 

$$\mathbf{F}_{2} = 125 \left[ \frac{4}{5} (\cos 20^{\circ})\mathbf{i} - \frac{4}{5} (\sin 20^{\circ})\mathbf{j} + \frac{3}{5} \mathbf{k} \right] = \{93.97\mathbf{i} - 34.20\mathbf{j} + 75.0\mathbf{k}\}$$

**Resultant Force.** 

$$\mathbf{F}_{R} = \mathbf{F}_{1} + \mathbf{F}_{2}$$
  
= {282.84**i** + 200**j** - 200**k**} + {93.97**i** - 34.20**j** + 75.0**k**}  
= {376.81**i** + 165.80**j** - 125.00**k**} N

The magnitude of the resultant force is

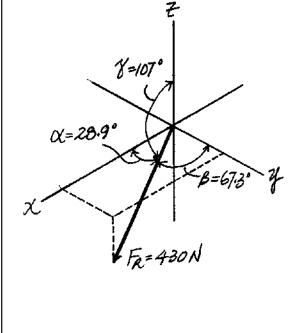
$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2 + (F_R)_z^2} = \sqrt{376.81^2 + 165.80^2 + (-125.00)^2}$$
$$= 430.23 \text{ N} = 430 \text{ N}$$
Ans.

The coordinate direction angles are

$$\cos \alpha = \frac{(F_R)_x}{F_R} = \frac{376.81}{430.23}; \qquad \alpha = 28.86^\circ = 28.9^\circ$$
 Ans.

$$\cos \beta = \frac{(F_R)_y}{F_R} = \frac{165.80}{430.23}; \quad \beta = 67.33^\circ = 67.3^\circ$$
 Ans

$$\cos \gamma = \frac{(F_R)_z}{F_R} = \frac{-125.00}{430.23}; \quad \gamma = 106.89^\circ = 107^\circ$$
 Ans.





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 $F_1 = 400 \text{ N}$ 

 $F_2 = 125 \text{ N}$ 

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#### \*2–48.

Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force, and sketch this vector on the coordinate system.

### SOLUTION

Cartesian Vector Notation. For **F**<sub>1</sub> and **F**<sub>2</sub>,

$$\mathbf{F}_1 = 450 \left(\frac{3}{5}\mathbf{j} - \frac{4}{5}\mathbf{k}\right) = \{270\mathbf{j} - 360\mathbf{k}\} \mathrm{N}$$

 $\mathbf{F}_2 = 525 (\cos 45^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 120^\circ \mathbf{j} + \cos 60^\circ \mathbf{k}) = \{371.23\mathbf{i} - 262.5\mathbf{j} + 262.5\mathbf{k}\} \mathrm{N}$ 

**Resultant Force.** 

$$\mathbf{F}_{R} = \mathbf{F}_{1} + \mathbf{F}_{2}$$
  
= {270**j** - 360**k**} + {371.23**i** - 262.5**j** + 262.5**k**}  
= {371.23**i** + 7.50**j** - 97.5**k**} N

The magnitude of the resultant force is

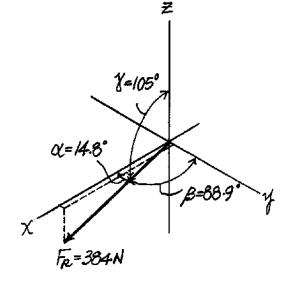
$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2 + (F_R)_z^2} = \sqrt{371.23^2 + 7.50^2 + (-97.5)^2}$$
  
= 383.89 N = 384 N Ans.

The coordinate direction angles are

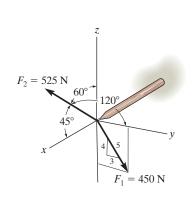
$$\cos \alpha = \frac{(F_R)_x}{F_R} = \frac{371.23}{383.89}; \qquad \alpha = 14.76^\circ = 14.8^\circ$$
 Ans.

$$\cos \beta = \frac{(F_R)_y}{F_R} = \frac{7.50}{383.89}; \qquad \beta = 88.88^\circ = 88.9^\circ$$
 Ans

$$\cos \gamma = \frac{(F_R)_z}{F_R} = \frac{-97.5}{383.89}; \qquad \gamma = 104.71^\circ = 105^\circ$$
 Ans.



**Ans:**   $F_R = 384 \text{ N}$   $\alpha = 14.8^{\circ}$   $\beta = 88.9^{\circ}$  $\gamma = 105^{\circ}$ 



#### 2–49.

Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles  $\alpha_1$ ,  $\beta_1$ ,  $\gamma_1$  of  $\mathbf{F}_1$  so that the resultant of the three forces acting on the bracket is  $\mathbf{F}_R = \{-350\mathbf{k}\}$  lb.

### SOLUTION

 $\mathbf{F}_1 = F_x \mathbf{i} + F_y \mathbf{j} + F_z \mathbf{k}$ 

$$F_2 = -200 \, j$$

 $\mathbf{F}_3 = -400 \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{i} + 400 \cos 30^\circ \mathbf{j}$ 

 $= -200 \,\mathbf{i} + 346.4 \,\mathbf{j}$ 

 $\mathbf{F}_R = \Sigma \mathbf{F}$ 

 $-350 \mathbf{k} = F_x \mathbf{i} + F_y \mathbf{j} + F_z \mathbf{k} - 200 \mathbf{j} - 200 \mathbf{i} + 346.4 \mathbf{j}$ 

 $0 = F_x - 200;$   $F_x = 200 \,\text{lb}$ 

 $0 = F_{v} - 200 + 346.4; \qquad F_{v} = -146.4 \text{ lb}$ 

$$F_{z} = -350 \, \text{lb}$$

 $F_1 = \sqrt{(200)^2 + (-146.4)^2 + (-350)^2}$  $F_1 = 425.9 \text{ lb} = 429 \text{ lb}$ 

$$\alpha_1 = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{200}{428.9}\right) = 62.2^\circ$$
Ans.

$$\beta_1 = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-146.4}{428.9}\right) = 110^{\circ}$$

$$\gamma_1 = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-350}{428.9}\right) = 145^{\circ}$$
 Ans.

**Ans:**   $F_1 = 429 \text{ lb}$   $\alpha_1 = 62.2^\circ$   $\beta_1 = 110^\circ$  $\gamma_1 = 145^\circ$ 

 $F_3 = 400 \, \text{lb}$ 

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 $F_2 = 200 \, \text{lb}$ 

Ans.

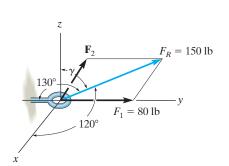
Ans.

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#### 2–50.

If the resultant force  $\mathbf{F}_R$  has a magnitude of 150 lb and the coordinate direction angles shown, determine the magnitude of  $\mathbf{F}_2$  and its coordinate direction angles.



### SOLUTION

**Cartesian Vector Notation.** For  $\mathbf{F}_R$ ,  $\gamma$  can be determined from

$$\cos^{2} \alpha + \cos^{2} \beta + \cos^{2} \gamma = 1$$
  
$$\cos^{2} 120^{\circ} + \cos^{2} 50^{\circ} + \cos^{2} \gamma = 1$$
  
$$\cos \gamma = \pm 0.5804$$

Here  $\gamma < 90^{\circ}$ , then

 $\gamma = 54.52^{\circ}$ 

Thus

$$\mathbf{F}_R = 150(\cos 120^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 50^\circ \mathbf{j} + \cos 54.52^\circ \mathbf{k})$$

$$= \{-75.0\mathbf{i} + 96.42\mathbf{j} + 87.05\mathbf{k}\}$$
 lb

Also

 $\mathbf{F}_1 = \{80\mathbf{j}\} \, lb$ 

#### **Resultant Force.**

$$\mathbf{F}_{R} = \mathbf{F}_{1} + \mathbf{F}_{2}$$

$$\{-75.0\mathbf{i} + 96.42\mathbf{j} + 87.05\mathbf{k}\} = \{80\mathbf{j}\} + \mathbf{F}_{2}$$

$$F_{2} = \{-75.0\mathbf{i} + 16.42\mathbf{j} + 87.05\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

Thus, the magnitude of  $\mathbf{F}_2$  is

$$F_2 = \sqrt{(F_2)_x + (F_2)_y + (F_2)_z} = \sqrt{(-75.0)^2 + 16.42^2 + 87.05^2}$$
$$= 116.07 \text{ lb} = 116 \text{ lb}$$
Ans.

And its coordinate direction angles are

$$\cos \alpha_2 = \frac{(F_2)_x}{F_2} = \frac{-75.0}{116.07};$$
  $\alpha_2 = 130.25^\circ = 130^\circ$  Ans.

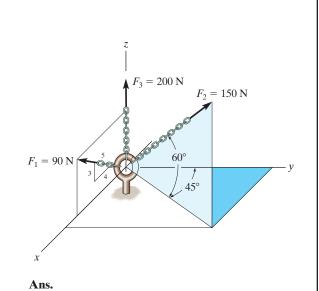
$$\cos \beta_2 = \frac{(F_2)_y}{F_2} = \frac{16.42}{116.07}; \qquad \beta_2 = 81.87^\circ = 81.9^\circ$$
 Ans.

$$\cos \gamma_2 = \frac{(F_2)_z}{F_2} = \frac{87.05}{116.07};$$
  $\gamma_2 = 41.41^\circ = 41.4^\circ$  Ans.

**Ans:**   $F_2 = 116 \text{ lb}$   $\alpha_2 = 130^\circ$   $\beta_2 = 81.9^\circ$  $\gamma_2 = 41.4^\circ$ 

#### 2–51.

Express each force as a Cartesian vector.



# SOLUTION

Cartesian Vector Notation. For F<sub>1</sub>, F<sub>2</sub> and F<sub>3</sub>,

$$\mathbf{F}_1 = 90\left(\frac{4}{5}\,\mathbf{i} + \frac{3}{5}\,\mathbf{k}\right) = \{72.0\mathbf{i} + 54.0\mathbf{k}\}\,\mathrm{N}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_2 = 150 \left(\cos 60^\circ \sin 45^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 60^\circ \cos 45^\circ \mathbf{j} + \sin 60^\circ \mathbf{k}\right)$$

 $= \{53.03\mathbf{i} + 53.03\mathbf{j} + 129.90\mathbf{k}\} \,\mathrm{N}$ 

$$= \{53.0\mathbf{i} + 53.0\mathbf{j} + 130\mathbf{k}\} \,\mathrm{N}$$

 $\mathbf{F}_3 = \{200 \ \mathbf{k}\}$ 

Ans.

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Ans:  $F_1 = \{72.0i + 54.0k\} N$   $F_2 = \{53.0i + 53.0j + 130k\} N$  $F_3 = \{200 k\}$ 

#### \*2–52.

Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force, and sketch this vector on the coordinate system.

### SOLUTION

Cartesian Vector Notation. For F<sub>1</sub>, F<sub>2</sub> and F<sub>3</sub>,

$$\mathbf{F}_1 = 90\left(\frac{4}{5}\mathbf{i} + \frac{3}{5}\mathbf{k}\right) = \{72.0\mathbf{i} + 54.0\mathbf{k}\}$$
 N

 $\mathbf{F}_2 = 150 \left(\cos 60^\circ \sin 45^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 60^\circ \cos 45^\circ \mathbf{j} + \sin 60^\circ \mathbf{k}\right)$ 

$$= \{53.03i + 53.03j + 129.90k\}$$
 N

$$\mathbf{F}_3 = \{200 \text{ k}\} \text{ N}$$

#### **Resultant Force.**

$$\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{F}_1 + \mathbf{F}_2 + \mathbf{F}_3$$
  
= (72.0**i** + 54.0**k**) + (53.03**i** + 53.03**j** + 129.90**k**) + (200**k**)  
= {125.03**i** + 53.03**j** + 383.90} N

The magnitude of the resultant force is

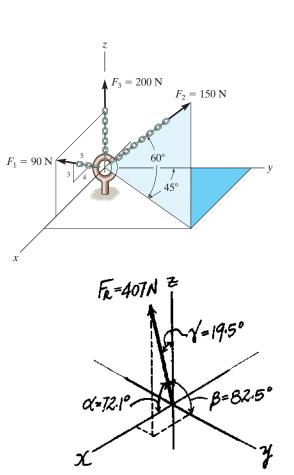
$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2 + (F_R)_z^2} = \sqrt{125.03^2 + 53.03^2 + 383.90^2}$$
$$= 407.22 \text{ N} = 407 \text{ N}$$

And the coordinate direction angles are

$$\cos \alpha = \frac{(F_R)_x}{F_R} = \frac{125.03}{407.22}; \qquad \alpha = 72.12^\circ = 72.1^\circ$$

$$\cos \beta = \frac{(F_R)_y}{F_R} = \frac{53.03}{407.22}; \qquad \beta = 82.52^\circ = 82.5^\circ$$
 Ans.

$$\cos \gamma = \frac{(F_R)_z}{F_R} = \frac{383.90}{407.22}; \qquad \gamma = 19.48^\circ = 19.5^\circ$$
 Ans.



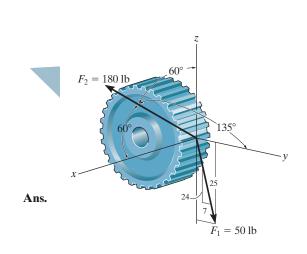
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**Ans:**   $F_R = 407 \text{ N}$   $\alpha = 72.1^{\circ}$   $\beta = 82.5^{\circ}$  $\gamma = 19.5^{\circ}$ 

#### 2–53.

The spur gear is subjected to the two forces. Express each force as a Cartesian vector.



# SOLUTION

$$\mathbf{F}_{1} = \frac{7}{25} (50)\mathbf{j} - \frac{24}{25} (50)\mathbf{k} = \{14.0\mathbf{j} - 48.0\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_2 = 180\cos 60^{\circ}\mathbf{i} + 180\cos 135^{\circ}\mathbf{j} + 180\cos 60^{\circ}\mathbf{k}$$

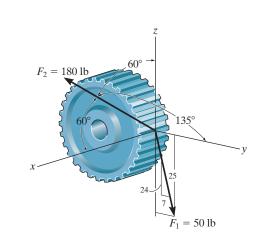
$$= \{90\mathbf{i} - 127\mathbf{j} + 90\mathbf{k}\} \, lb$$

Ans.

Ans:  $\mathbf{F}_1 = \{14.0\mathbf{j} - 48.0\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$  $\mathbf{F}_2 = \{90\mathbf{i} - 127\mathbf{j} + 90\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$ 

#### 2–54.

The spur gear is subjected to the two forces. Determine the resultant of the two forces and express the result as a Cartesian vector.



## SOLUTION

$$F_{Rx} = 180 \cos 60^\circ = 90$$

$$F_{Ry} = \frac{7}{25} (50) + 180 \cos 135^{\circ} = -113$$
$$F_{Rz} = -\frac{24}{25} (50) + 180 \cos 60^{\circ} = 42$$
$$\mathbf{F}_{R} = \{90\mathbf{i} - 113\mathbf{j} + 42\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$



**Ans:**  $\mathbf{F}_{R} = \{90\mathbf{i} - 113\mathbf{j} + 42\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$ 

#### 2–55.

Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force, and sketch this vector on the coordinate system.

### SOLUTION

Cartesian Vector Notation. For  $\mathbf{F}_1$  and  $\mathbf{F}_2$ ,

 $\mathbf{F}_1 = 400 (\sin 60^\circ \cos 20^\circ \mathbf{i} - \sin 60^\circ \sin 20^\circ \mathbf{j} + \cos 60^\circ \mathbf{k})$ 

 $= \{325.52\mathbf{i} - 118.48\mathbf{j} + 200\mathbf{k}\}$  N

 $\mathbf{F}_2 = 500 \left(\cos 60^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 60^\circ \mathbf{j} + \cos 135^\circ \mathbf{k}\right)$ 

$$= \{250\mathbf{i} + 250\mathbf{j} - 353.55\mathbf{k}\}$$
 N

#### **Resultant Force.**

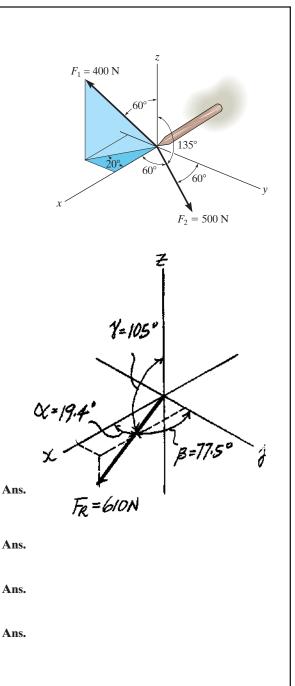
$$\mathbf{F}_{R} = \mathbf{F}_{1} + \mathbf{F}_{2}$$
  
= (325.52**i** - 118.48**j** + 200**k**) + (250**i** + 250**j** - 353.55**k**)  
= {575.52**i** + 131.52**j** - 153.55**k**} N

The magnitude of the resultant force is

$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2 + (F_R)_z^2} = \sqrt{575.52^2 + 131.52^2 + (-153.55)^2}$$
$$= 610.00 \text{ N} = 610 \text{ N}$$

The coordinate direction angles are

$$\cos \alpha = \frac{(F_R)_x}{F_R} = \frac{575.52}{610.00} \qquad \alpha = 19.36^\circ = 19.4^\circ$$
$$\cos \beta = \frac{(F_R)_y}{F_R} = \frac{131.52}{610.00} \qquad \beta = 77.549^\circ = 77.5^\circ$$
$$\cos \gamma = \frac{(F_R)_z}{F_R} = \frac{-153.55}{610.00} \qquad \gamma = 104.58^\circ = 105^\circ$$



#### \*2–56.

Determine the length of the connecting rod AB by first formulating a position vector from A to B and then determining its magnitude.

### SOLUTION

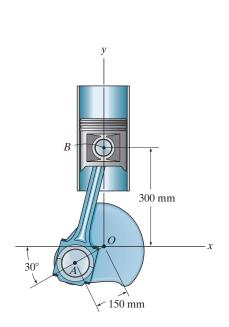
**Position Vector.** The coordinates of points A and B are  $A(-150 \cos 30^\circ, -150 \sin 30^\circ)$  mm and B(0, 300) mm respectively. Then

 $\mathbf{r}_{AB} = [0 - (-150\cos 30^\circ)]\mathbf{i} + [300 - (-150\sin 30^\circ)]\mathbf{j}$ 

 $= \{129.90\mathbf{i} + 375\mathbf{j}\}$  mm

Thus, the magnitude of  $\mathbf{r}_{AB}$  is

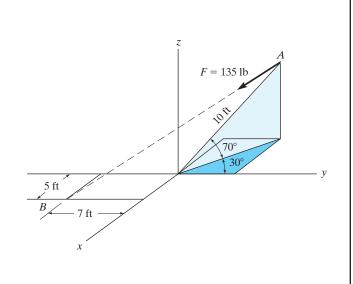
$$\mathbf{r}_{AB} = \sqrt{129.90^2 + 375^2} = 396.86 \text{ mm} = 397 \text{ mm}$$





#### 2–57.

Express force  $\mathbf{F}$  as a Cartesian vector; then determine its coordinate direction angles.



Ans.

### SOLUTION

$$\mathbf{r}_{AB} = (5 + 10 \cos 70^{\circ} \sin 30^{\circ})\mathbf{i} + (-7 - 10 \cos 70^{\circ} \cos 30^{\circ})\mathbf{j} - 10 \sin 70^{\circ}\mathbf{k} \mathbf{r}_{AB} = \{6.710\mathbf{i} - 9.962\mathbf{j} - 9.397\mathbf{k}\} \text{ ft} r_{AB} = \sqrt{(6.710)^2 + (-9.962)^2 + (-9.397)^2} = 15.25 \mathbf{u}_{AB} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AB}}{r_{AB}} = (0.4400\mathbf{i} - 0.6532\mathbf{j} - 0.6162\mathbf{k}) \mathbf{F} = 135\mathbf{u}_{AB} = (59.40\mathbf{i} - 88.18\mathbf{j} - 83.18\mathbf{k}) = \{59.4\mathbf{i} - 88.2\mathbf{j} - 83.2\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

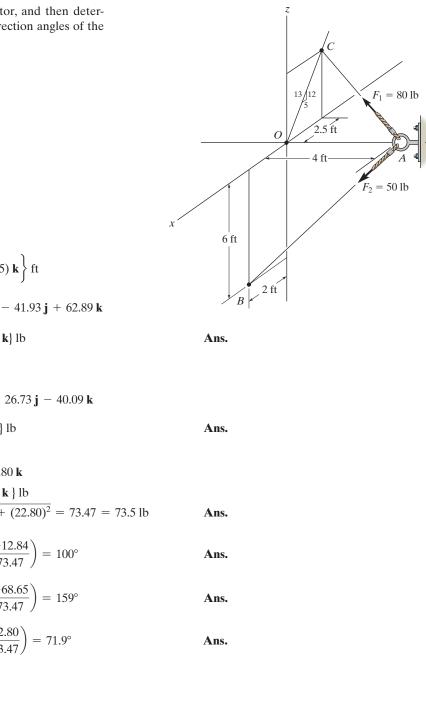
$$\alpha = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{59.40}{135} \right) = 63.9^{\circ}$$
 Ans.

$$\beta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-83.18}{135}\right) = 131^{\circ}$$
 Ans.  
 $\gamma = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-83.18}{135}\right) = 128^{\circ}$  Ans.

Ans:  $\mathbf{F} = \{59.4\mathbf{i} - 88.2\mathbf{j} - 83.2\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$   $\alpha = 63.9^{\circ}$   $\beta = 131^{\circ}$  $\gamma = 128^{\circ}$ 

#### 2–58.

Express each force as a Cartesian vector, and then determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force.



Ans:
$\mathbf{F}_1 = \{-26.2 \mathbf{i} - 41.9 \mathbf{j} + 62.9 \mathbf{k}\} \mathrm{lb}$
$\mathbf{F}_2 = \{13.4 \mathbf{i} - 26.7 \mathbf{j} - 40.1 \mathbf{k}\}\mathrm{lb}$
$\mathbf{F}_R = 73.5  \mathrm{lb}$
$\alpha = 100^{\circ}$
$\beta = 159^{\circ}$
$\gamma = 71.9^{\circ}$

### **SOLUTION**

$$\mathbf{r}_{AC} = \left\{ -2.5 \,\mathbf{i} - 4 \,\mathbf{j} + \frac{12}{5} \,(2.5) \,\mathbf{k} \right\} \,\mathrm{ft}$$
$$\mathbf{F}_1 = 80 \,\mathrm{lb} \left( \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AC}}{r_{AC}} \right) = -26.20 \,\mathbf{i} - 41.93 \,\mathbf{j} + 62.89 \,\mathbf{k}$$
$$= \left\{ -26.2 \,\mathbf{i} - 41.9 \,\mathbf{j} + 62.9 \,\mathbf{k} \right\} \,\mathrm{lb}$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{AB} = \{2\,\mathbf{i} - 4\,\mathbf{j} - 6\,\mathbf{k}\}\,\mathrm{ft}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_{2} = 50 \, \text{lb}\left(\frac{\mathbf{r}_{AB}}{r_{AB}}\right) = 13.36 \, \mathbf{i} - 26.73 \, \mathbf{j} - 40.09 \, \mathbf{k}$$
$$= \{13.4 \, \mathbf{i} - 26.7 \, \mathbf{j} - 40.1 \, \mathbf{k}\} \, \text{lb}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_{R} = \mathbf{F}_{1} + \mathbf{F}_{2}$$
  
= -12.84 **i** - 68.65 **j** + 22.80 **k**  
= {-12.8 **i** - 68.7 **j** + 22.8 **k** } lb

$$\mathbf{F}_R = \sqrt{(-12.84)^2 (-68.65)^2 + (22.80)^2} = 73.47 = 73.5 \text{ lb}$$

$$\alpha = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-12.84}{73.47} \right) = 100^{\circ}$$

$$\beta = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-68.65}{73.47} \right) = 159^{\circ}$$

$$\gamma = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{22.80}{73.47} \right) = 71.9^{\circ}$$

#### 2-59.

If  $\mathbf{F} = \{350\mathbf{i} - 250\mathbf{j} - 450\mathbf{k}\}$  N and cable AB is 9 m long, determine the x, y, z coordinates of point A.

# SOLUTION.

**Position Vector:** The position vector  $\mathbf{r}_{AB}$ , directed from point A to point B, is given by

 $\mathbf{r}_{AB} = [0 - x]\mathbf{i} + (0 - y)\mathbf{j} + (0 - z)\mathbf{k}$ =  $\Rightarrow$   $x\mathbf{i}$  =  $y\mathbf{j}$  =  $z\mathbf{k}$ 

Unit Vector. Knowing the magnitude of  $\mathbf{r}_{AB}$  is 9 m, the unit vector for  $\mathbf{r}_{AB}$  is given by

$$\mathbf{h}_{AB} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AB}}{r_{AB}} = \frac{-x\mathbf{i} - y\mathbf{j} - z\mathbf{k}}{9}$$

The unit vector for force  $\mathbf{F}$  is 

$$\mathbf{\mu}_{F} = \frac{\mathbf{F}}{F} = \frac{350\mathbf{i} - 250\mathbf{j} - 450\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{350_{+}^{2} + (-250)^{2} + (-450)^{2}}} = 0.5623\mathbf{i} - 0.4016\mathbf{j} - 0.7229\mathbf{k}$$

 $x = -5.06 \,\mathrm{m}$ 

y = 3.61 m

z = 6.51 m

Since force  $\mathbf{F}$  is also directed from point A to point B, then

**U**<sub>4B</sub> = **U** 

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$$\frac{-x\mathbf{i} - y\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}}{9} = -0.5623\mathbf{i} \quad 0.4016\mathbf{j} \neq 0.7229\mathbf{k}$$

Equating the i, j, and k components, :...

= -0.56230

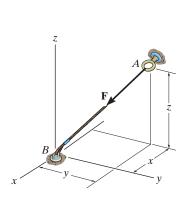
-0.4016

= 0.7229

Ans.

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## Ans:

x = -5.06 m $y = 3.61 \, \mathrm{m}$ z = 6.51 m

#### \*2–60.

The 8-m-long cable is anchored to the ground at *A*. If x = 4 m and y = 2 m, determine the coordinate *z* to the highest point of attachment along the column.

# SOLUTION

$$\mathbf{r} = \{4\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + z\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m}$$
  

$$r = \sqrt{(4)^2 + (2)^2 + (z)^2} = 8$$
  

$$z = 6.63 \text{ m}$$

B

Ans.

#### 2-61.

The 8-m-long cable is anchored to the ground at *A*. If z = 5 m, determine the location +x, +y of the support at *A*. Choose a value such that x = y.

# SOLUTION

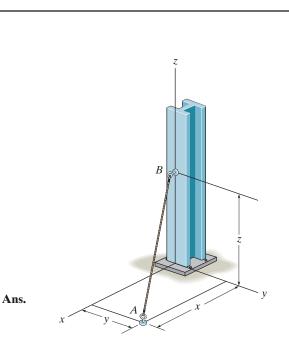
$$\mathbf{r} = \{x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j} + 5\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m}$$

$$r = \sqrt{(x)^2 + (y)^2 + (5)^2} = 8$$

$$x = y, \text{ thus}$$

$$2x^2 = 8^2 - 5^2$$

$$x = y = 4.42 \text{ m}$$



**Ans:** x = y = 4.42 m

#### 2-62.

Express each of the forces in Cartesian vector form and then determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force

# SOLUTION

**Unit Vectors.** The coordinates for points *A*, *B* and *C* are (0, -0.75, 3) m,  $B(2 \cos 40^\circ, 2 \sin 40^\circ, 0)$  m and C(2, -1, 0) m, respectively.

$$\mathbf{u}_{AB} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AB}}{\mathbf{r}_{AB}} = \frac{(2\cos 40^{\circ} - 0)\mathbf{i} + [2\sin 40^{\circ} - (-0.75)]\mathbf{j} + (0 - 3)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(2\cos 40^{\circ} - 0)^{2} + [2\sin 40^{\circ} - (-0.75)]^{2} + (0 - 3)^{2}}}$$
  
= 0.3893\mbox{i} + 0.5172\mbox{j} - 0.7622\mbox{k}  
$$\mathbf{u}_{AC} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AC}}{\mathbf{r}_{AC}} = \frac{(2 - 0)\mathbf{i} + [-1 - (-0.75)]\mathbf{j} + (0 - 3)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(2 - 0)^{2} + [-1 - (-0.75)]^{2} + (0 - 3)^{2}}}$$
  
= 0.5534\mbox{i} - 0.0692\mbox{j} - 0.8301\mbox{k}

#### **Force Vectors**

$$\mathbf{F}_{AB} = \mathbf{F}_{AB} \mathbf{u}_{AB} = 250 \ (0.3893\mathbf{i} + 0.5172\mathbf{j} - 0.7622\mathbf{k})$$
$$= \{97.32\mathbf{i} + 129.30\mathbf{j} - 190.56\mathbf{k}\} \ \mathbf{N}$$
$$= \{97.3\mathbf{i} + 129\mathbf{j} - 191\mathbf{k}\} \ \mathbf{N}$$
Ans.

$$\mathbf{F}_{AC} = \mathbf{F}_{AC} \mathbf{u}_{AC} = 400 \ (0.5534\mathbf{i} - 0.06917\mathbf{j} - 0.8301\mathbf{k})$$
$$= \{221.35\mathbf{i} - 27.67\mathbf{j} - 332.02\mathbf{k}\} \mathbf{N}$$
$$= \{221\mathbf{i} - 27.7\mathbf{j} - 332\mathbf{k}\} \mathbf{N}$$

#### **Resultant Force**

$$\mathbf{F}_{R} = \mathbf{F}_{AB} + \mathbf{F}_{AC}$$
  
= {97.32**i** + 129.30**j** - 190.56**k**} + {221.35**i** - 27.67**j** - 332.02**k**}  
= {318.67**i** + 101.63**j** - 522.58 **k**} N

The magnitude of  $\mathbf{F}_R$  is

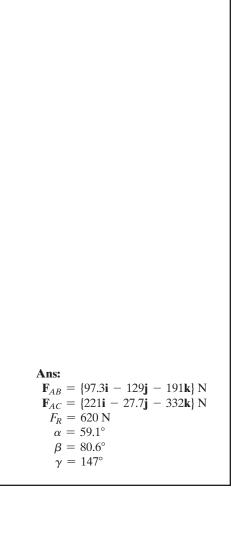
$$\mathbf{F}_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2 + (F_R)_z^2} = \sqrt{318.67^2 + 101.63^2 + (-522.58)^2}$$
$$= 620.46 \text{ N} = 620 \text{ N}$$

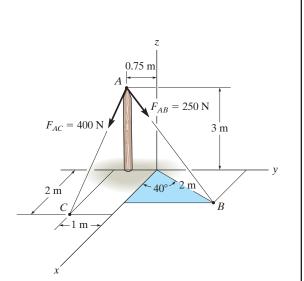
And its coordinate direction angles are

$$\cos \alpha = \frac{(F_R)_x}{F_R} = \frac{318.67}{620.46}; \qquad \alpha = 59.10^\circ = 59.1^\circ$$
 Ans.  
 $\cos \beta = \frac{(F_R)_y}{F_R} = \frac{101.63}{620.46}; \qquad \beta = 80.57^\circ = 80.6^\circ$  Ans.

$$\cos \beta = \frac{(1.05)}{F_R} = \frac{101.05}{620.46}; \quad \beta = 80.57^\circ = 80.6^\circ$$
 A

$$\cos \gamma = \frac{(F_R)_z}{F_R} = \frac{-522.58}{620.46}; \quad \gamma = 147.38^\circ = 147^\circ$$
 Ans.





Ans.

#### 2-63.

If  $F_B = 560$  N and  $F_C = 700$  N, determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force acting on the flag pole.

### SOLUTION

*Force Vectors:* The unit vectors  $\mathbf{u}_B$  and  $\mathbf{u}_C$  of  $\mathbf{F}_B$  and  $\mathbf{F}_C$  must be determined first. 2 m. From Fig. *a*,

$$\mathbf{u}_{B} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{B}}{r_{B}} = \frac{(2-0)\mathbf{i} + (-3-0)\mathbf{j} + (0-6)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(2-0)^{2} + (-3-0)^{2} + (0-6)^{2}}} = \frac{2}{7}\mathbf{i} - \frac{3}{7}\mathbf{j} - \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{k}$$
$$\mathbf{u}_{C} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{C}}{r_{C}} = \frac{(3-0)\mathbf{i} + (2-0)\mathbf{j} + (0-6)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(3-0)^{2} + (2-0)^{2} + (0-6)^{2}}} = \frac{3}{7}\mathbf{i} + \frac{2}{7}\mathbf{j} - \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{k}$$

Thus, the force vectors  $\mathbf{F}_B$  and  $\mathbf{F}_C$  are given by

$$\mathbf{F}_{B} = F_{B}\mathbf{u}_{B} = 560\left(\frac{2}{7}\mathbf{i} - \frac{3}{7}\mathbf{j} - \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{k}\right) = \{160\mathbf{i} - 240\mathbf{j} - 480\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$
$$\mathbf{F}_{C} = F_{C}\mathbf{u}_{C} = 700\left(\frac{3}{7}\mathbf{i} + \frac{2}{7}\mathbf{j} - \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{k}\right) = \{300\mathbf{i} + 200\mathbf{j} - 600\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

#### **Resultant Force:**

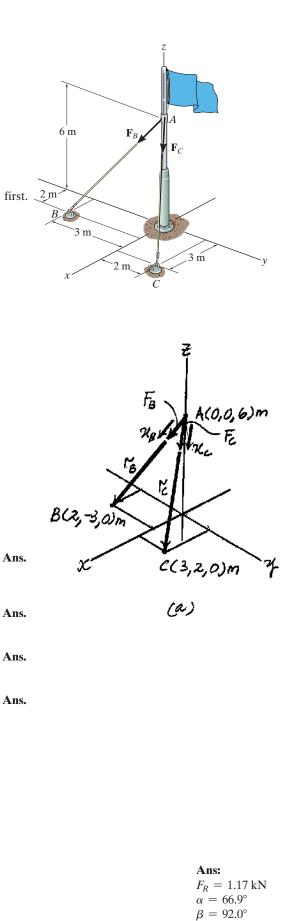
$$\mathbf{F}_{R} = \mathbf{F}_{B} + \mathbf{F}_{C} = (160\mathbf{i} - 240\mathbf{j} - 480\mathbf{k}) + (300\mathbf{i} + 200\mathbf{j} - 600\mathbf{k})$$
$$= \{460\mathbf{i} - 40\mathbf{j} + 1080\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

The magnitude of  $\mathbf{F}_R$  is

$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2 + (F_R)_z^2}$$
  
=  $\sqrt{(460)^2 + (-40)^2 + (-1080)^2} = 1174.56 \text{ N} = 1.17 \text{ kN}$ 

The coordinate direction angles of  $\mathbf{F}_R$  are

$$\alpha = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_x}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{460}{1174.56} \right) = 66.9^{\circ}$$
$$\beta = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_y}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-40}{1174.56} \right) = 92.0^{\circ}$$
$$\gamma = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_z}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-1080}{1174.56} \right) = 157^{\circ}$$



 $\gamma = 157^{\circ}$ 

#### \*2-64.

If  $F_B = 700$  N, and  $F_C = 560$  N, determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force acting on the flag pole.

## SOLUTION

*Force Vectors:* The unit vectors  $\mathbf{u}_B$  and  $\mathbf{u}_C$  of  $\mathbf{F}_B$  and  $\mathbf{F}_C$  must be determined first. 2 m. From Fig. *a*,

$$\mathbf{u}_{B} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{B}}{r_{B}} = \frac{(2-0)\mathbf{i} + (-3-0)\mathbf{j} + (0-6)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(2-0)^{2} + (-3-0)^{2} + (0-6)^{2}}} = \frac{2}{7}\mathbf{i} - \frac{3}{7}\mathbf{j} - \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{k}$$
$$\mathbf{u}_{C} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{C}}{r_{C}} = \frac{(3-0)\mathbf{i} + (2-0)\mathbf{j} + (0-6)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(3-0)^{2} + (2-0)^{2} + (0-6)^{2}}} = \frac{3}{7}\mathbf{i} + \frac{2}{7}\mathbf{j} - \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{k}$$

Thus, the force vectors  $\mathbf{F}_B$  and  $\mathbf{F}_C$  are given by

$$\mathbf{F}_B = F_B \mathbf{u}_B = 700 \left(\frac{2}{7}\mathbf{i} - \frac{3}{7}\mathbf{j} - \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{k}\right) = \{200\mathbf{i} - 300\mathbf{j} - 600\mathbf{k}\} \mathrm{N}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_{C} = F_{C}\mathbf{u}_{C} = 560 \left(\frac{3}{7}\mathbf{i} + \frac{2}{7}\mathbf{j} - \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{k}\right) = \{240\mathbf{i} + 160\mathbf{j} - 480\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

#### **Resultant Force:**

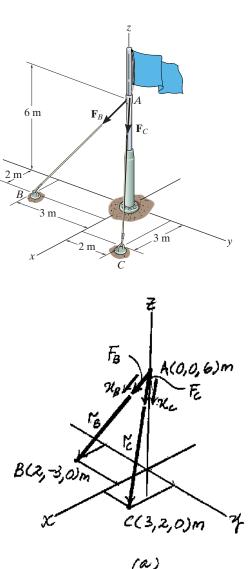
$$\mathbf{F}_{R} = \mathbf{F}_{B} + \mathbf{F}_{C} = (200\mathbf{i} - 300\mathbf{j} - 600\mathbf{k}) + (240\mathbf{i} + 160\mathbf{j} - 480\mathbf{k})$$
$$= \{440\mathbf{i} - 140\mathbf{j} - 1080\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

The magnitude of  $\mathbf{F}_R$  is

$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2 + (F_R)_z^2}$$
  
=  $\sqrt{(440)^2 + (-140)^2 + (-1080)^2} = 1174.56 \text{ N} = 1.17 \text{ kN}$ 

The coordinate direction angles of  $\mathbf{F}_R$  are

$$\alpha = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_x}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{440}{1174.56} \right) = 68.0^{\circ}$$
$$\beta = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_y}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-140}{1174.56} \right) = 96.8^{\circ}$$
$$\gamma = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_z}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-1080}{1174.56} \right) = 157^{\circ}$$



Ans:  $F_R = 1.17 \text{ kN}$   $\alpha = 68.0^{\circ}$   $\beta = 96.8^{\circ}$  $\gamma = 157^{\circ}$ 

Ans.

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#### 2-65.

SOLUTION

The plate is suspended using the three cables which exert the forces shown. Express each force as a Cartesian vector.

 $\mathbf{F}_{BA} = 350 \left(\frac{\mathbf{r}_{BA}}{r_{BA}}\right) = 350 \left(-\frac{5}{16.031}\mathbf{i} + \frac{6}{16.031}\mathbf{j} + \frac{14}{16.031}\mathbf{k}\right)$ 

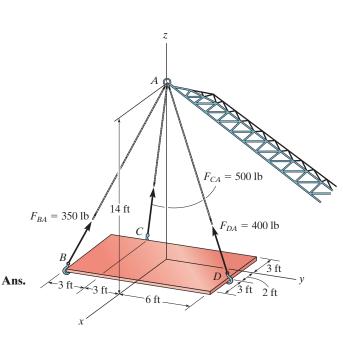
 $\mathbf{F}_{CA} = 500 \left(\frac{\mathbf{r}_{CA}}{r_{CA}}\right) = 500 \left(\frac{3}{14.629}\,\mathbf{i} + \frac{3}{14.629}\,\mathbf{j} + \frac{14}{14.629}\,\mathbf{k}\right)$ 

 $\mathbf{F}_{DA} = 400 \left(\frac{\mathbf{r}_{DA}}{r_{DA}}\right) = 400 \left(-\frac{2}{15.362}\,\mathbf{i} - \frac{6}{15.362}\,\mathbf{j} + \frac{14}{15.362}\,\mathbf{k}\right)$ 

 $= \{-109 \,\mathbf{i} + 131 \,\mathbf{j} + 306 \,\mathbf{k}\} \,\mathrm{lb}$ 

 $= \{103 \mathbf{i} + 103 \mathbf{j} + 479 \mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$ 

 $= \{-52.1 \mathbf{i} - 156 \mathbf{j} + 365 \mathbf{k}\}$ lb



Ans.

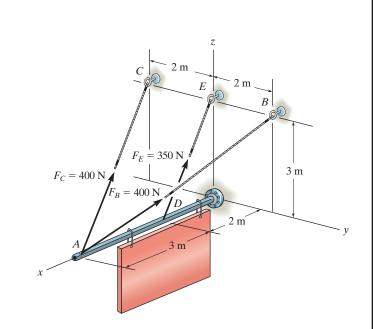
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Ans:  $\mathbf{F}_{BA} = \{-109 \,\mathbf{i} + 131 \,\mathbf{j} + 306 \,\mathbf{k}\} \,\text{lb}$   $\mathbf{F}_{CA} = \{103 \,\mathbf{i} + 103 \,\mathbf{j} + 479 \,\mathbf{k}\} \,\text{lb}$  $\mathbf{F}_{DA} = \{-52.1 \,\mathbf{i} - 156 \,\mathbf{j} + 365 \,\mathbf{k}\} \,\text{lb}$ 

#### 2-66.

Represent each cable force as a Cartesian vector.

SOLUTION  $\mathbf{r}_{C} = (0 - 5)\mathbf{i} + (-2 - 0)\mathbf{j} + (3 - 0)\mathbf{k} = \{-5\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m}$   $r_{C} = \sqrt{(-5)^{2} + (-2)^{2} + 3^{2}} = \sqrt{38} \text{ m}$   $\mathbf{r}_{B} = (0 - 5)\mathbf{i} + (2 - 0)\mathbf{j} + (3 - 0)\mathbf{k} = \{-5\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m}$   $r_{B} = \sqrt{(-5)^{2} + 2^{2} + 3^{2}} = \sqrt{38} \text{ m}$   $\mathbf{r}_{E} = (0 - 2)\mathbf{i} + (0 - 0)\mathbf{j} + (3 - 0)\mathbf{k} = \{-2\mathbf{i} + 0\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m}$   $r_{E} = \sqrt{(-2)^{2} + 0^{2} + 3^{2}} = \sqrt{13} \text{ m}$ 



$$\mathbf{F} = F_{\mathbf{u}} = F\left(\frac{\mathbf{r}}{r}\right)$$
$$\mathbf{F}_{C} = 400\left(\frac{-5\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{38}}\right) = \{-324\mathbf{i} - 130\mathbf{j} + 195\mathbf{k}\} \mathbf{N}$$
$$\mathbf{F}_{B} = 400\left(\frac{-5\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{38}}\right) = \{-324\mathbf{i} + 130\mathbf{j} + 195\mathbf{k}\} \mathbf{N}$$
$$\mathbf{F}_{E} = 350\left(\frac{-2\mathbf{i} + 0\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{13}}\right) = \{-194\mathbf{i} + 291\mathbf{k}\} \mathbf{N}$$

Ans.

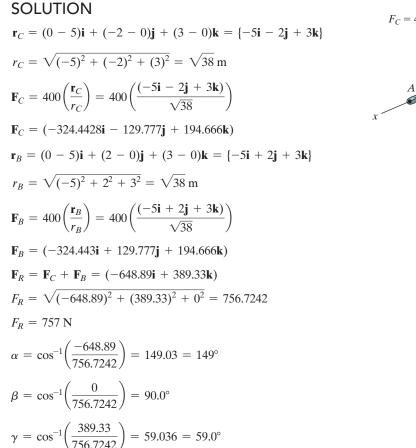
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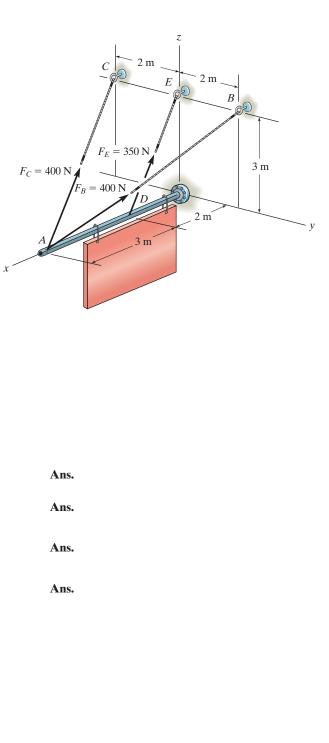
Ans.

Ans:  $\mathbf{F}_{C} = \{-324\mathbf{i} - 130\mathbf{j} + 195\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$   $\mathbf{F}_{B} = \{-324\mathbf{i} + 130\mathbf{j} + 195\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$  $\mathbf{F}_{E} = \{-194\mathbf{i} + 291\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$ 

#### 2-67.

Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force of the two forces acting at point A.





#### \*2–68.

The force  $\mathbf{F}$  has a magnitude of 80 lb and acts at the midpoint C of the rod. Express this force as a Cartesian vector.

# SOLUTION

$$\mathbf{r}_{AB} = (-3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 6\mathbf{k})$$
  

$$\mathbf{r}_{CB} = \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{r}_{AB} = (-1.5\mathbf{i} + 1\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k})$$
  

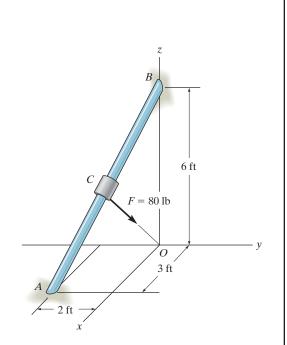
$$\mathbf{r}_{CO} = \mathbf{r}_{BO} + \mathbf{r}_{CB}$$
  

$$= -6\mathbf{k} - 1.5\mathbf{i} + 1\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$$
  

$$= -1.5\mathbf{i} + 1\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}$$
  

$$r_{CO} = 3.5$$
  

$$F = 80\left(\frac{\mathbf{r}_{CO}}{r_{CO}}\right) = \{-34.3\mathbf{i} + 22.9\mathbf{j} - 68.6\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$



Ans.

#### Ans: $F = \{-34.3i + 22.9j - 68.6k\}$ lb

#### 2-69.

The load at A creates a force of 60 lb in wire AB. Express this force as a Cartesian vector.

# SOLUTION

*Unit Vector:* First determine the position vector  $\mathbf{r}_{AB}$ . The coordinates of point *B* are

 $B (5 \sin 30^\circ, 5 \cos 30^\circ, 0)$ ft = B (2.50, 4.330, 0)ft

Then

 $\mathbf{r}_{AB} = \{(2.50 - 0)\mathbf{i} + (4.330 - 0)\mathbf{j} + [0 - (-10)]\mathbf{k}\} \text{ ft}$ 

$$= \{2.50\mathbf{i} + 4.330\mathbf{j} + 10\mathbf{k}\} \text{ ft}$$

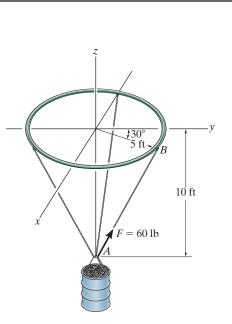
 $r_{AB} = \sqrt{2.50^2 + 4.330^2 + 10.0^2} = 11.180 \, \text{ft}$  $\mathbf{u}_{AB} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AB}}{r_{AB}} = \frac{2.50\mathbf{i} + 4.330\mathbf{j} + 10\mathbf{k}}{11.180}$ 

 $= 0.2236\mathbf{i} + 0.3873\mathbf{j} + 0.8944\mathbf{k}$ 

#### Force Vector:

$$\mathbf{F} = F\mathbf{u}_{AB} = 60 \{ 0.2236\mathbf{i} + 0.3873\mathbf{j} + 0.8944\mathbf{k} \} \text{ lb}$$

$$= \{13.4\mathbf{i} + 23.2\mathbf{j} + 53.7\mathbf{k}\}$$
 lb



Ans.

#### 2-70.

Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force acting at point *A* on the post.

# SOLUTION

**Unit Vector.** The coordinates for points A, B and C are A(0, 0, 3) m, B(2, 4, 0) m, and C(-3, -4, 0) m, respectively.

$$\mathbf{r}_{AB} = (2 - 0)\mathbf{i} + (4 - 0)\mathbf{j} + (0 - 3)\mathbf{k} = \{2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}\} \mathbf{m}$$

$$\mathbf{u}_{AB} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AB}}{\mathbf{r}_{AB}} = \frac{2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{2^2 + 4^2 + (-3)^2}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{29}}\mathbf{i} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{29}}\mathbf{j} - \frac{3}{\sqrt{29}}\mathbf{k}$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{AC} = (-3 - 0)\mathbf{i} + (-4 - 0)\mathbf{j} + (0 - 3)\mathbf{k} = \{-3\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}\} \,\mathrm{m}$$

$$\mathbf{u}_{AC} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AC}}{\mathbf{r}_{AC}} = \frac{-3\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(-3)^2 + (-4)^2 + (-3)^2}} = -\frac{3}{\sqrt{34}}\mathbf{i} - \frac{4}{\sqrt{34}}\mathbf{j} - \frac{3}{\sqrt{34}}\mathbf{k}$$

**Force Vectors** 

$$\mathbf{F}_{AB} = \mathbf{F}_{AB} \mathbf{u}_{AB} = 200 \left( \frac{2}{\sqrt{29}} \mathbf{i} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{29}} \mathbf{j} - \frac{3}{\sqrt{29}} \mathbf{k} \right)$$
  
= {74.28\mathbf{i} + 148.56\mathbf{j} - 111.42\mathbf{k}} N  
$$\mathbf{F}_{AC} = \mathbf{F}_{AC} \mathbf{u}_{AC} = 150 \left( -\frac{3}{\sqrt{34}} \mathbf{i} - \frac{4}{\sqrt{34}} \mathbf{j} - \frac{3}{\sqrt{34}} \mathbf{k} \right)$$
  
= {-77.17\mathbf{i} - 102.90\mathbf{j} - 77.17\mathbf{k}} N

#### **Resultant Force**

$$\mathbf{F}_{R} = \mathbf{F}_{AB} + \mathbf{F}_{AC}$$
  
= {74.28**i** + 148.56**j** - 111.42**k**} + {-77.17**i** - 102.90**j** - 77.17**k**}  
= {-2.896**i** + 45.66**j** - 188.59 **k**} N

The magnitude of the resultant force is

$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2 + (F_R)_z^2} = \sqrt{(-2.896)^2 + 45.66^2 + (-188.59)^2}$$
  
= 194.06 N = 194 N Ans.

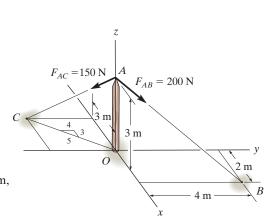
And its coordinate direction angles are

$$\cos \alpha = \frac{(F_R)_x}{F_R} = \frac{-2.896}{194.06}; \quad \alpha = 90.86^\circ = 90.9^\circ$$
 Ans

$$\cos \beta = \frac{(F_R)_y}{F_R} = \frac{45.66}{194.06}; \qquad \beta = 76.39^\circ = 76.4^\circ$$
 Ans.

$$\cos \gamma = \frac{(F_R)_z}{F_R} = \frac{-188.59}{194.06}; \quad \gamma = 166.36^\circ = 166^\circ$$
 Ans.

Ans:  $F_R = 194 \text{ N}$   $\alpha = 90.9^\circ$   $\beta = 76.4^\circ$  $\gamma = 166^\circ$ 



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#### 2–71.

Given the three vectors  $\mathbf{A}$ ,  $\mathbf{B}$ , and  $\mathbf{D}$ , show that  $\mathbf{A} \cdot (\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{D}) = (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B}) + (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{D})$ .

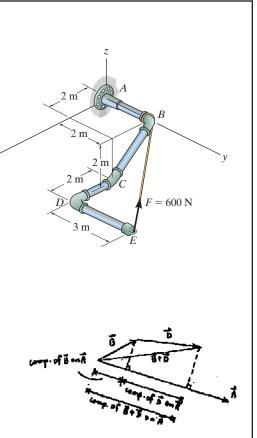
# SOLUTION

Since the component of  $(\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{D})$  is equal to the sum of the components of  $\mathbf{B}$  and  $\mathbf{D}$ , then

$$\mathbf{A} \cdot (\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{D}) = \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{D}$$
 (QED)

Also,

$$\mathbf{A} \cdot (\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{D}) = (A_x \mathbf{i} + A_y \mathbf{j} + A_z \mathbf{k}) \cdot [(B_x + D_x)\mathbf{i} + (B_y + D_y)\mathbf{j} + (B_z + D_z)\mathbf{k}]$$
  
=  $A_x (B_x + D_x) + A_y (B_y + D_y) + A_z (B_z + D_z)$   
=  $(A_x B_x + A_y B_y + A_z B_z) + (A_x D_x + A_y D_y + A_z D_z)$   
=  $(\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B}) + (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{D})$  (QED)



#### \*2–72.

Determine the magnitudes of the components of F = 600 N acting along and perpendicular to segment DE of the pipe assembly.



Unit Vectors: The unit vectors  $\mathbf{u}_{EB}$  and  $\mathbf{u}_{ED}$  must be determined first. From Fig. a,

$$\mathbf{u}_{EB} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{EB}}{\mathbf{r}_{EB}} = \frac{(0-4)\mathbf{i} + (2-5)\mathbf{j} + [0-(-2)]\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(0-4)^2 + (2-5)^2 + [0-(-2)]^2}} = -0.7428\mathbf{i} - 0.5571\mathbf{j} + 0.3714\mathbf{k}$$

 $\mathbf{u}_{ED} = -\mathbf{j}$ 

Thus, the force vector  $\mathbf{F}$  is given by

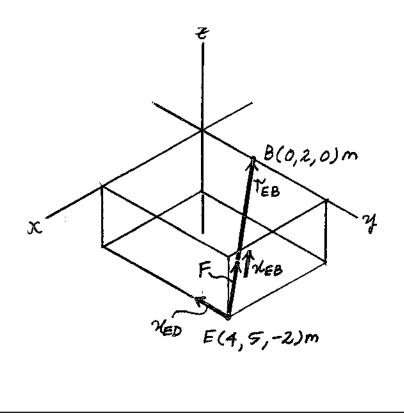
 $\mathbf{F} = F\mathbf{u}_{EB} = 600(-0.7428\mathbf{i} - 0.5571\mathbf{j} + 0.3714\mathbf{k}) = [-445.66\mathbf{i} - 334.25\mathbf{j} + 222.83\mathbf{k}] \,\mathrm{N}$ 

*Vector Dot Product:* The magnitude of the component of **F** parallel to segment DE of the pipe assembly is

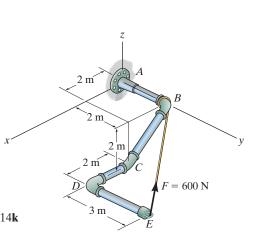
$$(F_{ED})_{\text{paral}} = \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{ED} = (-445.66\mathbf{i} - 334.25\mathbf{j} + 222.83\mathbf{k}) \cdot (-\mathbf{j})$$
$$= (-445.66)(0) + (-334.25)(-1) + (222.83)(0)$$
$$= 334.25 = 334 \text{ N}$$
Ans.

The component of  $\mathbf{F}$  perpendicular to segment DE of the pipe assembly is

$$(F_{ED})_{\text{per}} = \sqrt{F^2 - (F_{ED})_{\text{paral}}^2} = \sqrt{600^2 - 334.25^2} = 498 \text{ N}$$
 Ans.

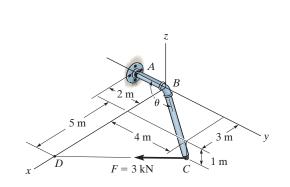


**Ans:**  $(F_{ED})_{||} = 334 \text{ N}$  $(F_{ED})_{\perp} = 498 \text{ N}$ 



#### 2–73.

Determine the angle  $\theta$  between *BA* and *BC*.



#### SOLUTION

**Unit Vectors.** Here, the coordinates of points A, B and C are A(0, -2, 0) m, B(0, 0, 0) m and C(3, 4, -1) m respectively. Thus, the unit vectors along *BA* and *BC* are

$$\mathbf{u}_{BA} = -\mathbf{j} \qquad \mathbf{u}_{BE} = \frac{(3-0)\,\mathbf{i}\,+(4-0)\,\mathbf{j}\,+(-1-0)\,\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(3-0)^2+(4-0)^2+(-1-0)^2}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{26}}\,\mathbf{i}\,+\frac{4}{\sqrt{26}}\,\mathbf{j}\,-\frac{1}{\sqrt{26}}\,\mathbf{k}$$

The Angle  $\theta$  Between *BA* and *BC*.

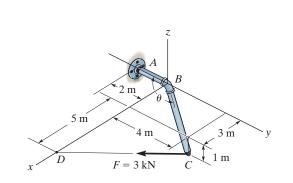
$$\mathbf{u}_{BA} \, \mathbf{u}_{BC} = (-\mathbf{j}) \cdot \left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{26}} \mathbf{i} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{26}} \mathbf{j} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{26}} \mathbf{k}\right)$$
$$= (-1) \left(\frac{4}{\sqrt{26}}\right) = -\frac{4}{\sqrt{26}}$$

Then

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left( \mathbf{u}_{BA} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{BC} \right) = \cos^{-1} \left( -\frac{4}{\sqrt{26}} \right) = 141.67^{\circ} = 142^{\circ}$$
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#### 2–74.

Determine the magnitude of the projected component of the 3 kN force acting along axis *BC* of the pipe.



#### SOLUTION

**Unit Vectors.** Here, the coordinates of points *B*, *C* and *D* are *B* (0, 0, 0) m, C(3, 4, -1) m and D(8, 0, 0). Thus the unit vectors along *BC* and *CD* are

$$\mathbf{u}_{BC} = \frac{(3-0)\mathbf{i} + (4-0)\mathbf{j} + (-1-0)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(3-0)^2 + (4-0)^2 + (-1-0)^2}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{26}}\mathbf{i} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{26}}\mathbf{j} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{26}}\mathbf{k}$$
$$\mathbf{u}_{CD} = \frac{(8-3)\mathbf{i} + (0-4)\mathbf{j} + [0-(-1)]\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(8-3)^2 + (0-4)^2 + [0-(-1)]^2}} = \frac{5}{\sqrt{42}}\mathbf{i} - \frac{4}{\sqrt{42}}\mathbf{j} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{42}}\mathbf{k}$$

Force Vector. For F,

$$\mathbf{F} = F\mathbf{u}_{CD} = 3\left(\frac{5}{\sqrt{42}}\mathbf{i} - \frac{4}{\sqrt{42}}\mathbf{j} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{42}}\mathbf{k}\right)$$
$$= \left(\frac{15}{\sqrt{42}}\mathbf{i} - \frac{12}{\sqrt{42}}\mathbf{j} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{42}}\mathbf{k}\right)\mathbf{kN}$$

Projected Component of F. Along BC, it is

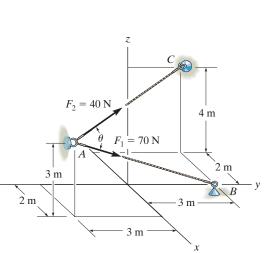
$$\left| (F_{BC}) \right| = \left| \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{BC} \right| = \left| \left( \frac{15}{\sqrt{42}} \mathbf{i} - \frac{12}{\sqrt{42}} \mathbf{j} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{42}} \mathbf{k} \right) \cdot \left( \frac{3}{\sqrt{26}} \mathbf{i} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{26}} \mathbf{j} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{26}} \mathbf{k} \right) \right|$$
$$= \left| \left( \frac{15}{\sqrt{42}} \right) \left( \frac{3}{\sqrt{26}} \right) + \left( -\frac{12}{\sqrt{42}} \right) \left( \frac{4}{\sqrt{26}} \right) + \frac{3}{\sqrt{42}} \left( -\frac{1}{\sqrt{26}} \right) \right|$$
$$= \left| -\frac{6}{\sqrt{1092}} \right| = \left| -0.1816 \, \mathrm{kN} \right| = 0.182 \, \mathrm{kN}$$
Ans.

The negative signs indicate that this component points in the direction opposite to that of  $\mathbf{u}_{BC^*}$ 

**Ans:**  $|(F_{BC})| = 0.182 \text{ kN}$ 

#### 2–75.

Determine the angle  $\theta$  between the two cables.



#### SOLUTION

**Unit Vectors.** Here, the coordinates of points *A*, *B* and *C* are A(2, -3, 3) m, B(0, 3, 0) and C(-2, 3, 4) m, respectively. Thus, the unit vectors along *AB* and *AC* are

$$\mathbf{u}_{AB} = \frac{(0-2)\mathbf{i} + [3-(-3)]\mathbf{j} + (0-3)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(0-2)^2 + [3-(-3)]^2 + (0-3)^2}} = -\frac{2}{7}\mathbf{i} + \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{j} - \frac{3}{7}\mathbf{k}$$
$$\mathbf{u}_{AC} = \frac{(-2-2)\mathbf{i} + [3-(-3)]\mathbf{j} + (4-3)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(-2-2)^2 + [3-(-3)]^2 + (4-3)^2}} = -\frac{4}{\sqrt{53}}\mathbf{i} + \frac{6}{\sqrt{53}}\mathbf{j} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{53}}\mathbf{k}$$

The Angle  $\theta$  Between *AB* and *AC*.

$$\mathbf{u}_{AB} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{AC} = \left(-\frac{2}{7}\mathbf{i} + \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{j} - \frac{3}{7}\mathbf{k}\right) \cdot \left(-\frac{4}{\sqrt{53}}\mathbf{i} + \frac{6}{\sqrt{53}}\mathbf{j} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{53}}\mathbf{k}\right)$$
$$= \left(-\frac{2}{7}\right) \left(-\frac{4}{\sqrt{53}}\right) + \frac{6}{7}\left(\frac{6}{\sqrt{53}}\right) + \left(-\frac{3}{7}\right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{53}}\right)$$
$$= \frac{41}{7\sqrt{53}}$$

Then

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}(\mathbf{u}_{AB} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{AC}) = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{41}{7\sqrt{53}}\right) = 36.43^{\circ} = 36.4^{\circ}$$
 Ans.

Ans:  $\theta = 36.4^{\circ}$ 

#### \*2–76.

Determine the magnitude of the projection of the force  $\mathbf{F}_1$  along cable AC.

#### SOLUTION

**Unit Vectors.** Here, the coordinates of points A, B and C are A(2, -3, 3)m, B(0, 3, 0) and C(-2, 3, 4) m, respectively. Thus, the unit vectors along AB and AC are

$$\mathbf{u}_{AB} = \frac{(0-2)\mathbf{i} + [3-(-3)]\mathbf{j} + (0-3)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(0-2)^2 + [3-(-3)]^2 + (0-3)^2}} = -\frac{2}{7}\mathbf{i} + \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{j} - \frac{3}{7}\mathbf{k}$$
$$\mathbf{u}_{AC} = \frac{(-2-2)\mathbf{i} + [3-(-3)]\mathbf{j} + (4-3)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(-2-2)^2 + [3-(-3)]^2 + (4-3)^2}} = -\frac{4}{\sqrt{53}}\mathbf{i} + \frac{6}{\sqrt{53}}\mathbf{j} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{53}}\mathbf{k}$$

Force Vector, For **F**<sub>1</sub>,

$$\mathbf{F}_{1} = \mathbf{F}_{1} \mathbf{u}_{AB} = 70 \left( -\frac{2}{7} \mathbf{i} + \frac{6}{7} \mathbf{j} - \frac{3}{7} \mathbf{k} \right) = \{-20\mathbf{i} + 60\mathbf{j} - 30\mathbf{k}\} \mathrm{N}$$

Projected Component of F<sub>1</sub>. Along AC, it is

$$(F_{1})_{AC} = \mathbf{F}_{1} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{AC} = (-20\mathbf{i} + 60\mathbf{j} - 30\mathbf{k}) \cdot \left(-\frac{4}{\sqrt{53}}\mathbf{i} + \frac{6}{\sqrt{53}}\mathbf{j} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{53}}\mathbf{k}\right)$$
$$= (-20)\left(-\frac{4}{\sqrt{53}}\right) + 60\left(\frac{6}{\sqrt{53}}\right) + (-30)\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{53}}\right)$$
$$= 56.32 \text{ N} = 56.3 \text{ N}$$
Ans.

The positive sign indicates that this component points in the same direction as  $\mathbf{u}_{AC}$ .

 $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_1 = 70 \text{ N}$   $F_2 = 40 \text{ N}$   $F_2$ 

#### 2–77.

Determine the angle  $\theta$  between the pole and the wire AB.

#### SOLUTION

#### **Position Vector:**

$$\mathbf{r}_{AC} = \{-3\mathbf{j}\} \text{ ft}$$
  
$$\mathbf{r}_{AB} = \{(2 - 0)\mathbf{i} + (2 - 3)\mathbf{j} + (-2 - 0)\mathbf{k}\} \text{ ft}$$
  
$$= \{2\mathbf{i} - 1\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}\} \text{ ft}$$

The magnitudes of the position vectors are

$$r_{AC} = 3.00 \text{ ft}$$
  $r_{AB} = \sqrt{2^2 + (-1)^2 + (-2)^2} = 3.00 \text{ ft}$ 

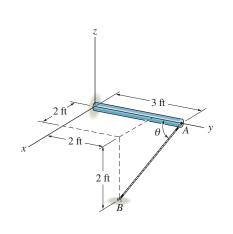
The Angles Between Two Vectors  $\theta$ : The dot product of two vectors must be determined first.

$$\mathbf{r}_{AC} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{AB} = (-3\mathbf{j}) \cdot (2\mathbf{i} - 1\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k})$$
  
= 0(2) + (-3)(-1) + 0(-2)  
= 3

Then,

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\mathbf{r}_{AO} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{AB}}{r_{AO}r_{AB}}\right) = \cos^{-1}\left[\frac{3}{3.00(3.00)}\right] = 70.5^{\circ}$$





#### 2–78.

Determine the magnitude of the projection of the force along the u axis.

#### SOLUTION

*Unit Vectors:* The unit vectors  $\mathbf{u}_{OA}$  and  $\mathbf{u}_u$  must be determined first. From Fig. *a*,

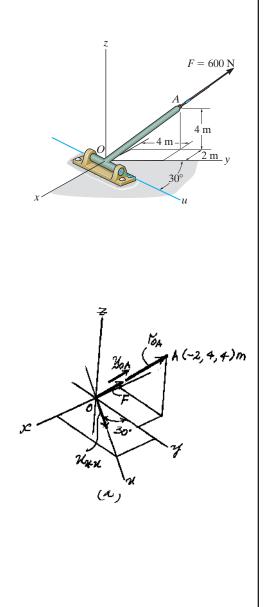
$$\mathbf{u}_{OA} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{OA}}{r_{OA}} = \frac{(-2-0)\mathbf{i} + (4-0)\mathbf{j} + (4-0)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(-2-0)^2 + (4-0)^2 + (4-0)^2}} = -\frac{1}{3}\mathbf{i} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{k}$$
$$\mathbf{u}_u = \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 30^\circ \mathbf{j}$$

Thus, the force vectors  $\mathbf{F}$  is given by

$$\mathbf{F} = F \mathbf{u}_{OA} = 600 \left( -\frac{1}{3}\mathbf{i} - \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{k} \right) = \{-200\mathbf{i} + 400\mathbf{j} + 400\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

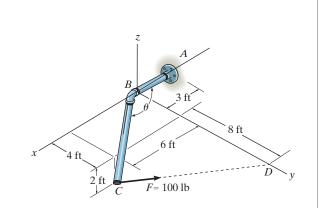
**Vector Dot Product:** The magnitude of the projected component of **F** along the u axis is

 $\mathbf{F}_{u} = F \cdot \mathbf{u}_{u} = (-200\mathbf{i} + 400\mathbf{j} + 400\mathbf{k}) \cdot (\sin 30^{\circ}\mathbf{i} + \cos 30^{\circ}\mathbf{j})$  $= (-200)(\sin 30^{\circ}) + 400(\cos 30^{\circ}) + 400(0)$ = 246 N



#### 2–79.

Determine the magnitude of the projected component of the 100-lb force acting along the axis BC of the pipe.



#### SOLUTION

 $\rightarrow$ 

$$\vec{\gamma}_{BC} = \left\{ 6\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 2\hat{k} \right\} \text{ft}$$

$$\vec{F} = 100 \frac{\left\{ -6\hat{i} + 8\hat{j} + 2\hat{k} \right\}}{\sqrt{(-6)^2 + 8^2 + 2^2}}$$

$$= \left\{ -58.83\hat{i} + 78.45\hat{j} + 19.61\hat{k} \right\} \text{ Ib}$$

$$F_p = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{\mu}_{BC} = \vec{F} \cdot \frac{\vec{\gamma}_{BC}}{|\vec{\gamma}_{BC}|} = \frac{-78.45}{7.483} = -10.48$$

$$F_p = 10.5 \text{ Ib}$$

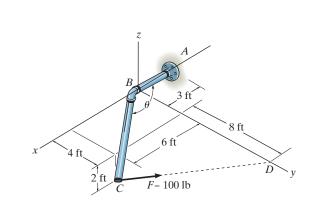


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#### \*2-80.

SOLUTION

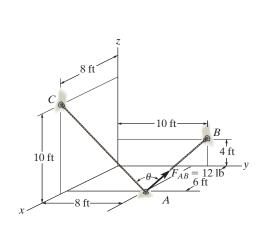
Determine the angle  $\theta$  between pipe segments *BA* and *BC*.



## $\vec{\gamma}_{BC} = \{6\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}\} ft$ $\vec{\gamma}_{BA} = \{-3\hat{i}\} ft$ $\theta = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{\vec{\gamma}_{BC} \cdot \vec{\gamma}_{BA}}{|\vec{\gamma}_{BC}| |\vec{\gamma}_{BA}|}\right) = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{-18}{22.45}\right)$ $\theta = 143^{\circ}$

#### 2-81.

Determine the angle  $\theta$  between the two cables.



#### SOLUTION

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AC} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{AB}}{r_{AC} r_{AB}} \right)$$
  
=  $\cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(2 \mathbf{i} - 8 \mathbf{j} + 10 \mathbf{k}) \cdot (-6 \mathbf{i} + 2 \mathbf{j} + 4 \mathbf{k})}{\sqrt{2^2 + (-8)^2 + 10^2} \sqrt{(-6)^2 + 2^2 + 4^2}} \right]$   
=  $\cos^{-1} \left( \frac{12}{96.99} \right)$ 

$$\theta = 82.9^{\circ}$$

#### 2-82.

Determine the projected component of the force acting in the direction of cable *AC*. Express the result as a Cartesian vector.

# x x $g = \frac{10 \text{ ft}}{10 \text{ ft}}$ $g = \frac{10 \text{ ft}}{4 \text{ ft}}$ $g = \frac{12 \text{ lb}}{6 \text{ ft}}$ y

#### SOLUTION

$$\mathbf{r}_{AC} = \{2 \mathbf{i} - 8 \mathbf{j} + 10 \mathbf{k}\} \text{ ft}$$
  

$$\mathbf{r}_{AB} = \{-6 \mathbf{i} + 2 \mathbf{j} + 4 \mathbf{k}\} \text{ ft}$$
  

$$\mathbf{F}_{AB} = 12 \left(\frac{\mathbf{r}_{AB}}{r_{AB}}\right) = 12 \left(-\frac{6}{7.483} \mathbf{i} + \frac{2}{7.483} \mathbf{j} + \frac{4}{7.483} \mathbf{k}\right)$$
  

$$\mathbf{F}_{AB} = \{-9.621 \mathbf{i} + 3.207 \mathbf{j} + 6.414 \mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$
  

$$\mathbf{u}_{AC} = \frac{2}{12.961} \mathbf{i} - \frac{8}{12.961} \mathbf{j} + \frac{10}{12.961} \mathbf{k}$$
  
Proj  $F_{AB} = \mathbf{F}_{AB} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{AC} = -9.621 \left(\frac{2}{12.961}\right) + 3.207 \left(-\frac{8}{12.961}\right) + 6.414 \left(\frac{10}{12.961}\right)$   

$$= 1.4846$$
  
Proj  $\mathbf{F}_{AB} = F_{AB} \mathbf{u}_{AC}$   
Proj  $\mathbf{F}_{AB} = (1.4846) \left[\frac{2}{12.962} \mathbf{i} - \frac{8}{12.962} \mathbf{j} + \frac{10}{12.962} \mathbf{k}\right]$ 

Proj 
$$\mathbf{F}_{AB} = \{0.229 \,\mathbf{i} - 0.916 \,\mathbf{j} + 1.15 \,\mathbf{k}\} \,\mathrm{lb}$$

Ans: Proj  $\mathbf{F}_{AB} = \{0.229 \,\mathbf{i} - 0.916 \,\mathbf{j} + 1.15 \,\mathbf{k}\} \, lb$ 

#### 2-83.

Determine the angles  $\theta$  and  $\phi$  between the flag pole and the cables *AB* and *AC*.

#### SOLUTION

 $\mathbf{r}_{AC} = \{-2\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} + 1\mathbf{k}\} \,\mathrm{m}\,; \qquad r_{AC} = 4.58 \,\mathrm{m}\,$ 

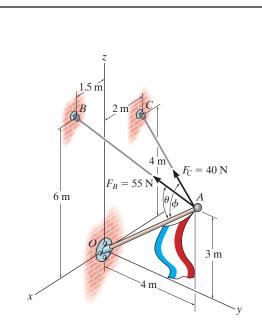
 $\mathbf{r}_{AB} = \{1.5\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m};$   $r_{AB} = 5.22 \text{ m}$  $\mathbf{r}_{AO} = \{-4\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m};$   $r_{AO} = 5.00 \text{ m}$ 

 $\mathbf{r}_{AB} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{AO} = (1.5)(0) + (-4)(-4) + (3)(-3) = 7$ 

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AB} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{AO}}{r_{AB} r_{AO}} \right)$$
$$= \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{7}{5.22(5.00)} \right) = 74.4^{\circ}$$

 $\mathbf{r}_{AC} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{AO} = (-2)(0) + (-4)(-4) + (1)(-3) = 13$ 

$$\phi = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AC} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{AO}}{r_{AC} r_{AO}} \right)$$
$$= \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{13}{4.58(5.00)} \right) = 55.4^{\circ}$$



Ans.

Ans.

Ans:  $\theta = 74.4^{\circ}$  $\phi = 55.4^{\circ}$ 

Ans.

#### \*2-84.

Determine the magnitudes of the components of  $\mathbf{F}$  acting along and perpendicular to segment BC of the pipe assembly.

#### SOLUTION

Unit Vector: The unit vector **u**<sub>CB</sub> must be determined first. From Fig. a,

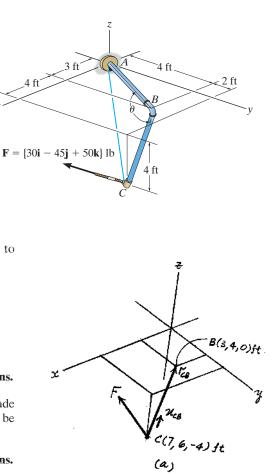
$$\mathbf{u}_{CB} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{CB}}{r_{CB}} = \frac{(3-7)\mathbf{i} + (4-6)\mathbf{j} + [0-(-4)]\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(3-7)^2 + (4-6)^2 + [0-(-4)]^2}} = -\frac{2}{3}\mathbf{i} - \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{k}$$

*Vector Dot Product:* The magnitude of the projected component of  $\mathbf{F}$  parallel to segment *BC* of the pipe assembly is

$$(F_{BC})_{pa} = \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{CB} = (30\mathbf{i} - 45\mathbf{j} + 50\mathbf{k}) \cdot \left(-\frac{2}{3}\mathbf{i} - \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{k}\right)$$
$$= (30)\left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) + (-45)\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) + 50\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)$$
$$= 28.33 \text{ lb} = 28.3 \text{ lb}$$

The magnitude of **F** is  $F = \sqrt{30^2 + (-45)^2 + 50^2} = \sqrt{5425}$  lb. Thus, the magnitude of the component of **F** perpendicular to segment *BC* of the pipe assembly can be determined from

$$(F_{BC})_{per} = \sqrt{F^2 - (F_{BC})_{pa}^2} = \sqrt{5425 - 28.33^2} = 68.0 \text{ lb}$$
 Ans.



Ans:  

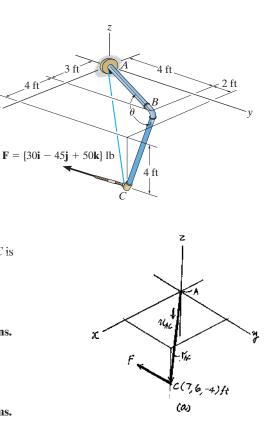
$$(F_{BC})_{||} = 28.3 \text{ lb}$$
  
 $(F_{BC})_{\perp} = 68.0 \text{ lb}$ 

Ans.

Ans.

#### 2-85.

Determine the magnitude of the projected component of  $\mathbf{F}$  along line *AC*. Express this component as a Cartesian vector.



#### SOLUTION

Unit Vector: The unit vector  $\mathbf{u}_{AC}$  must be determined first. From Fig. a,

 $\mathbf{u}_{AC} = \frac{(7-0)\mathbf{i} + (6-0)\mathbf{j} + (-4-0)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(7-0)^2 + (6-0)^2 + (-4-0)^2}} = 0.6965\mathbf{i} + 0.5970\mathbf{j} - 0.3980\mathbf{k}$ 

Vector Dot Product: The magnitude of the projected component of F along line AC is

$$F_{AC} = \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{AC} = (30\mathbf{i} - 45\mathbf{j} + 50\mathbf{k}) \cdot (0.6965\mathbf{i} + 0.5970\mathbf{j} - 0.3980\mathbf{k})$$
  
= (30)(0.6965) + (-45)(0.5970) + 50(-0.3980)  
= 25.87 lb

Thus,  $\mathbf{F}_{AC}$  expressed in Cartesian vector form is

 $F_{AC} = F_{AC} \mathbf{u}_{AC} = -25.87(0.6965\mathbf{i} + 0.5970\mathbf{j} - 0.3980\mathbf{k})$  $= \{-18.0\mathbf{i} - 15.4\mathbf{j} + 10.3\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$ 

Ans:  $F_{AC} = 25.87 \text{ lb}$  $F_{AC} = \{-18.0\mathbf{i} - 15.4\mathbf{j} + 10.3\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$ 

#### 2-86.

Determine the angle  $\theta$  between the pipe segments *BA* and *BC*.

#### SOLUTION

**Position Vectors:** The position vectors  $\mathbf{r}_{BA}$  and  $\mathbf{r}_{BC}$  must be determined first. From Fig. *a*,

$$\mathbf{r}_{BA} = (0 - 3)\mathbf{i} + (0 - 4)\mathbf{j} + (0 - 0)\mathbf{k} = \{-3\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j}\} \text{ ft}$$
  
$$\mathbf{r}_{BC} = (7 - 3)\mathbf{i} + (6 - 4)\mathbf{j} + (-4 - 0)\mathbf{k} = \{4\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k}\} \text{ ft}$$

The magnitude of  $\mathbf{r}_{BA}$  and  $\mathbf{r}_{BC}$  are

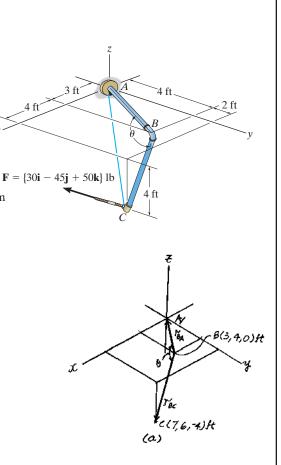
$$\mathbf{r}_{BA} = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + (-4)^2} = 5 \text{ ft}$$
  
 $\mathbf{r}_{BC} = \sqrt{4^2 + 2^2 + (-4)^2} = 6 \text{ ft}$ 

Vector Dot Product:

$$\mathbf{r}_{BA} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{BC} = (-3\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j}) \cdot (4\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k})$$
$$= (-3)(4) + (-4)(2) + 0(-4)$$
$$= -20 \text{ ft}^2$$

Thus,

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\mathbf{r}_{BA} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{BC}}{\mathbf{r}_{BA} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{BC}}\right) = \cos^{-1}\left[\frac{-20}{5(6)}\right] = 132^{\circ}$$



#### 2-87.

If the force F = 100 N lies in the plane *DBEC*, which is parallel to the *x*-*z* plane, and makes an angle of 10° with the extended line *DB* as shown, determine the angle that **F** makes with the diagonal *AB* of the crate.

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#### SOLUTION

Use the x, y, z axes.  $\mathbf{u}_{AB} = \left(\frac{-0.5\mathbf{i} + 0.2\mathbf{j} + 0.2\mathbf{k}}{0.57446}\right)$   $= -0.8704\mathbf{i} + 0.3482\mathbf{j} + 0.3482\mathbf{k}$   $\mathbf{F} = -100 \cos 10^{\circ}\mathbf{i} + 100 \sin 10^{\circ}\mathbf{k}$   $\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{AB}}{F u_{AB}}\right)$   $= \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-100 (\cos 10^{\circ})(-0.8704) + 0 + 100 \sin 10^{\circ} (0.3482)}{100(1)}\right)$   $= \cos^{-1} (0.9176) = 23.4^{\circ}$ 

#### \*2-88.

Determine the magnitudes of the components of the force acting parallel and perpendicular to diagonal AB of the crate.

#### SOLUTION

*Force and Unit Vector:* The force vector **F** and unit vector  $\mathbf{u}_{AB}$  must be determined first. From Fig. *a*,

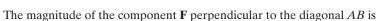
 $\mathbf{F} = 90(-\cos 60^{\circ} \sin 45^{\circ} \mathbf{i} + \cos 60^{\circ} \cos 45^{\circ} \mathbf{j} + \sin 60^{\circ} \mathbf{k})$ 

= {-31.82**i** + 31.82**j** + 77.94**k**} lb  

$$\mathbf{u}_{AB} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AB}}{r_{AB}} = \frac{(0 - 1.5)\mathbf{i} + (3 - 0)\mathbf{j} + (1 - 0)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(0 - 1.5)^2 + (3 - 0)^2 + (1 - 0)^2}} = -\frac{3}{7}\mathbf{i} - \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{7}\mathbf{k}$$

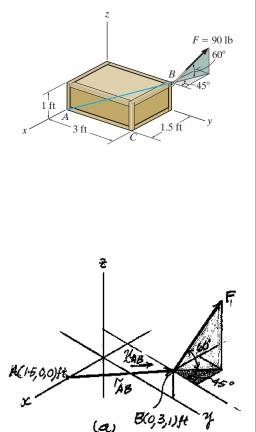
*Vector Dot Product:* The magnitude of the projected component of **F** parallel to the diagonal AB is

$$[(F)_{AB}]_{pa} = \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{AB} = (-31.82\mathbf{i} + 31.82\mathbf{j} + 77.94\mathbf{k}) \cdot \left(-\frac{3}{7}\mathbf{i} + \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{7}\mathbf{k}\right)$$
$$= (-31.82)\left(-\frac{3}{7}\right) + 31.82\left(\frac{6}{7}\right) + 77.94\left(\frac{2}{7}\right)$$
$$= 63.18 \text{ lb} = 63.2 \text{ lb}$$
Ans



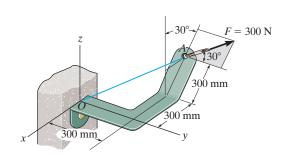
$$[(F)_{AB}]_{per} = \sqrt{F^2 - [(F)_{AB}]_{pa}^2} = \sqrt{90^2 - 63.18^2} = 64.1 \text{ lb}$$
 Ans.

Ans:  $[(F)_{AB}]_{||} = 63.2 \text{ lb}$  $[(F)_{AB}]_{\perp} = 64.1 \text{ lb}$ 



#### 2-89.

Determine the magnitudes of the projected components of the force acting along the *x* and *y* axes.



#### SOLUTION

*Force Vector:* The force vector **F** must be determined first. From Fig. *a*,

 $\mathbf{F} = -300 \sin 30^{\circ} \sin 30^{\circ} \mathbf{i} + 300 \cos 30^{\circ} \mathbf{j} + 300 \sin 30^{\circ} \cos 30^{\circ} \mathbf{k}$ 

 $= [-75\mathbf{i} + 259.81\mathbf{j} + 129.90\mathbf{k}]$  N

*Vector Dot Product:* The magnitudes of the projected component of **F** along the *x* and *y* axes are

$$F_x = \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{i} = (-75\mathbf{i} + 259.81\mathbf{j} + 129.90\mathbf{k}) \cdot \mathbf{i}$$
  
= -75(1) + 259.81(0) + 129.90(0)  
= -75 N  
$$F_y = \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{j} = (-75\mathbf{i} + 259.81\mathbf{j} + 129.90\mathbf{k}) \cdot \mathbf{j}$$
  
= -75(0) + 259.81(1) + 129.90(0)  
= 260 N

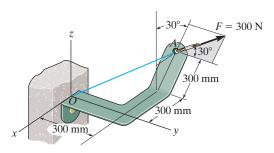
The negative sign indicates that  $\mathbf{F}_x$  is directed towards the negative x axis. Thus

$$F_x = 75 \text{ N}, \quad F_y = 260 \text{ N}$$
 Ans.

**Ans:**  
$$F_x = 75 \text{ N}$$
  
 $F_y = 260 \text{ N}$ 

#### 2–90.

Determine the magnitude of the projected component of the force acting along line *OA*.



#### SOLUTION

*Force and Unit Vector:* The force vector **F** and unit vector  $\mathbf{u}_{OA}$  must be determined first. From Fig. a,

 $\mathbf{F} = (-300 \sin 30^{\circ} \sin 30^{\circ} \mathbf{i} + 300 \cos 30^{\circ} \mathbf{j} + 300 \sin 30^{\circ} \cos 30^{\circ} \mathbf{k})$ 

$$= \{-75\mathbf{i} + 259.81\mathbf{j} + 129.90\mathbf{k}\}$$
 N

$$\mathbf{u}_{OA} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{OA}}{r_{OA}} = \frac{(-0.45 - 0)\mathbf{i} + (0.3 - 0)\mathbf{j} + (0.2598 - 0)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(-0.45 - 0)^2 + (0.3 - 0)^2 + (0.2598 - 0)^2}} = -0.75\mathbf{i} + 0.5\mathbf{j} + 0.4330\mathbf{k}$$

Vector Dot Product: The magnitude of the projected component of F along line OA is

$$F_{OA} = \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{OA} = (-75\mathbf{i} + 259.81\mathbf{j} + 129.90\mathbf{k}) \cdot (-0.75\mathbf{i} + 0.5\mathbf{j} + 0.4330\mathbf{k})$$
$$= (-75)(-0.75) + 259.81(0.5) + 129.90(0.4330)$$
$$= 242 \text{ N}$$

$$E = \begin{pmatrix} 30^{\circ} \\ 100 \\ 30^{\circ} \\ 100$$

Ans.

Ans:  $F_{OA} = 242 \text{ N}$ 

#### 2–91.

Two cables exert forces on the pipe. Determine the magnitude of the projected component of  $\mathbf{F}_1$  along the line of action of  $\mathbf{F}_2$ .

#### SOLUTION

#### Force Vector:

 $\mathbf{u}_{F_1} = \cos 30^\circ \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 30^\circ \cos 30^\circ \mathbf{j} - \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{k}$  $= 0.4330\mathbf{i} + 0.75\mathbf{j} - 0.5\mathbf{k}$  $\mathbf{F}_1 = F_R \mathbf{u}_{F_1} = 30(0.4330\mathbf{i} + 0.75\mathbf{j} - 0.5\mathbf{k}) \text{ lb}$  $= \{12.990\mathbf{i} + 22.5\mathbf{j} - 15.0\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$ 

**Unit Vector:** One can obtain the angle  $\alpha = 135^{\circ}$  for  $\mathbf{F}_2$  using Eq. 2–8.  $\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$ , with  $\beta = 60^{\circ}$  and  $\gamma = 60^{\circ}$ . The unit vector along the line of action of  $\mathbf{F}_2$  is

 $\mathbf{u}_{F_2} = \cos 135^{\circ} \mathbf{i} + \cos 60^{\circ} \mathbf{j} + \cos 60^{\circ} \mathbf{k} = -0.7071 \mathbf{i} + 0.5 \mathbf{j} + 0.5 \mathbf{k}$ 

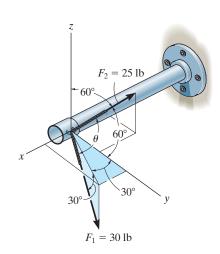
Projected Component of  $F_1$  Along the Line of Action of  $F_2$ :

 $(F_1)_{F_2} = \mathbf{F}_1 \cdot \mathbf{u}_{F_2} = (12.990\mathbf{i} + 22.5\mathbf{j} - 15.0\mathbf{k}) \cdot (-0.7071\mathbf{i} + 0.5\mathbf{j} + 0.5\mathbf{k})$ = (12.990)(-0.7071) + (22.5)(0.5) + (-15.0)(0.5)= -5.44 lb

Negative sign indicates that the projected component of  $(F_1)_{F_2}$  acts in the opposite sense of direction to that of  $\mathbf{u}_{F_2}$ .

The magnitude is  $(F_1)_{F_2} = 5.44$  lb

Ans.



Ans: The magnitude is  $(F_1)_{F_2} = 5.44$  lb

#### \*2–92.

Determine the angle  $\theta$  between the two forces.

#### SOLUTION

#### Unit Vectors:

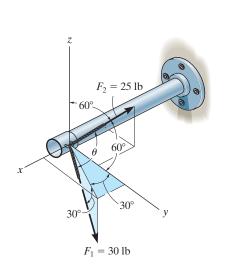
 $u_{F_1} = \cos 30^\circ \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 30^\circ \cos 30^\circ \mathbf{j} - \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{k}$ = 0.4330\mathbf{i} + 0.75\mathbf{j} - 0.5\mathbf{k}  $u_{F_2} = \cos 135^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 60^\circ \mathbf{j} + \cos 60^\circ \mathbf{k}$ = -0.7071\mathbf{i} + 0.5\mathbf{j} + 0.5\mathbf{k}

#### The Angles Between Two Vectors $\theta$ :

$$\mathbf{u}_{F_1} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{F_2} = (0.4330\mathbf{i} + 0.75\mathbf{j} - 0.5\mathbf{k}) \cdot (-0.7071\mathbf{i} + 0.5\mathbf{j} + 0.5\mathbf{k})$$
$$= 0.4330(-0.7071) + 0.75(0.5) + (-0.5)(0.5)$$
$$= -0.1812$$

Then,

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left( \mathbf{u}_{F_1} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{F_2} \right) = \cos^{-1}(-0.1812) = 100^{\circ}$$





#### \*R2-4.

The cable exerts a force of 250 lb on the crane boom as shown. Express this force as a Cartesian vector.

#### SOLUTION

*Cartesian Vector Notation:* With  $\alpha = 30^{\circ}$  and  $\beta = 70^{\circ}$ , the third coordinate direction angle  $\gamma$  can be determined using Eq. 2–8.

 $\cos^{2} \alpha + \cos^{2} \beta + \cos^{2} \gamma = 1$  $\cos^{2} 30^{\circ} + \cos^{2} 70^{\circ} + \cos^{2} \gamma = 1$  $\cos \gamma = \pm 0.3647$  $\gamma = 68.61^{\circ} \text{ or } 111.39^{\circ}$ 

By inspection,  $\gamma = 111.39^{\circ}$  since the force **F** is directed in negative octant.

 $\mathbf{F} = 250\{\cos 30^{\circ}\mathbf{i} + \cos 70^{\circ}\mathbf{j} + \cos 111.39^{\circ}\} \text{ lb}$  $= \{217\mathbf{i} + 85.5\mathbf{j} - 91.2\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$ 

Ans:  $\mathbf{F} = \{217\mathbf{i} + 85.5\mathbf{j} - 91.2\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$ 

70

30

 $F = 250 \, \text{lb}$ 

#### \*R2-8.

Determine the projection of the force  $\mathbf{F}$  along the pole.

SOLUTION

Proj  $F = \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{u}_a = (2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} + 10\mathbf{k}) \cdot \left(\frac{2}{3}\mathbf{i} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{j} - \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{k}\right)$ Proj F = 0.667 kN

